

MacArthur Feted By San Francisco

Unprecedented Scenes As Pacific War Hero In Triumphal Parade

SAN FRANCISCO (AP)—A tumultuous throng of Californians shouted a roaring tribute today to Gen. MacArthur. Crowds jammed the downtown streets so solidly the parade in which the famous general rode with his family was forced to a virtual crawl.

MacArthur, who flew in Tuesday from Japan, after having been stripped of his Far Eastern commands, was greeted Tuesday night by many thousands of his countrymen. But today's outpouring was the greatest thing the city had ever seen.

The general saluted happily as crowds pressed upon him, dozens deep along the streets, marching and shouting and keeping abreast his car as the caravan moved from the downtown area toward the civic centre where another tremendous crowd was waiting for the reception ceremonies.

Commonwealth General Backs MacArthur Plan

Aussie Chief
Takes Stand

TOKYO (AP)—An informant who demanded anonymity today reported that the top Commonwealth military officer in Japan voiced support for Gen. MacArthur's proposal to bomb Red Chinese bases in Manchuria.

A man who attended a confidential conference reported today that Lt. Gen. Sir H. C. H. Robertson, administrative commander of Commonwealth forces in Korea, last week told a confidential conference of Commonwealth reporters that MacArthur's proposal offered the best hope of forcing the Chinese Reds out of the war and preventing a costly stalemate.

He quoted Robertson as saying that the only alternative would be to send a tremendous land army—larger than anyone has contemplated—into Korea.

The Australian general is the first important Commonwealth officer to speak in favor of bombing Manchuria. The British Foreign Office and Commonwealth governments have strongly opposed MacArthur's program for fear it would spread the war.

Challenge To Budget Lost

LONDON (Reuters)—The government defeated an opposition challenge to its budget proposals by 11 votes in the House of Commons today.

Its proposal to increase the tax on gasoline by 4½ pence (5 cents) a gallon to three shillings and six pence (52 cents) was carried by 300 votes to 233.

The government also defeated the opposition—304 to 289—on a vote on the proposed increase in entertainments tax on movie shows and certain sports events, including horse racing.

New Message From Peiping May Clarify Peace Bid From Red China

UNITED NATIONS, N.Y. (AP)—Reports of a new peace bid from Communist China circulated here today as delegates studied the official text of a North Korean cable interpreted by some as a peace offer and by others, including the U.S. State Department, as a propaganda blast.

The 12 Arab-Asian members of the U.N. scheduled a meeting today to discuss the North Korean communication and "other developments."

Members of the group hinted strongly that it would be a good guess that the "other developments" included a new message from Peiping, relayed through

MacARTHUR NOT RUNNING FOR POLITICAL OFFICE

SAN FRANCISCO (AP)—Gen. MacArthur does not intend to enter the American political scene, he announced dramatically today.

"I have just been asked if I intend to enter politics," the general told a welcoming San Francisco crowd.

"My reply was no."

Then he added as the great crowd cheered: "I do not intend to run for any political office and I hope that my name never will be used in a political way."

Polar Air Mass Brings Fierce Blizzard To Alta.

Elderly Man Indirect Victim Of Storm;
24-Hour Fall Of 5.3 Inches At Calgary

EDMONTON (CP)—A blizzard raged today at Calgary and throughout the rest of Alberta winter conditions returned with snow, near-zero temperatures and strong winds.

Artillery Fire Paves Way For Allied Gains

Action Delays
Red Offensive

TOKYO (AP)—Allied troops advanced 2,000 to 3,000 yards on the West Korean front today behind heavy air and artillery attacks.

The Reds gave that ground—1½ to 2 miles—grudgingly. The big gains were both south and southeast of Chonwon, a five-highway hub about 19 miles inside Red Korea.

One allied infantry team pushed up a valley road within two miles of the rubble city. They met Chinese mortar and rifle fire and withdrew.

A tank force lunged into the Red lines near Chipyong and killed 100 Communists. Chipyong is seven miles southeast of Chonwon and seven miles southwest of Kumhwa.

The gains carried the main allied line to about eight miles south of Chonwon.

Chonwon and Kumhwa are the western bases of the Red buildup area where an estimated 600,000 Communist combat troops were deployed.

TRUSTS TURNED BACK

Two allied thrusts at the Hwachon dam were turned back today.

Allied foot troops slugged ahead with little opposition east and north of Yanggu on the western tip of the huge Hwachon reservoir.

Twenty-five Russian-made MIG-15s darted across the Manchurian border and tangled with 15 American F-36 Sabre jets.

Allied commanders said the grinding U.N. attack in Red Korea presumably has thrown the Chinese and Korean Communists off-balance. Chinese war prisoners said the Reds' spring offensive was set for April 11—one week ago.

The Dominion Weather Office reported that the cold spell, which hit the province yesterday after building up in the Arctic, will last for the next three or four days. It predicts snow will end tonight and winds will drop off tomorrow.

Death last night of Albert Gillrie, 86, of Didsbury, Alta., was caused indirectly by the storm. He had stopped his truck on the Calgary-Edmonton highway and was cleaning the windshield when he was struck by a northbound bus. He died in hospital.

DRIFTS PILING UP

At Calgary, 5.3 inches of snow was reported to have fallen in the last 24 hours. It was being piled into drifts by winds averaging 30 miles per hour.

Elsewhere, snowfall in the last 24 hours ranged from one-half inch at Medicine Hat in the north to one and a half inches at Edmonton and six inches at Lac La Biche, 110 miles northeast.

Coldest spot in the province overnight was Whitecourt, 100 miles northwest of Edmonton, where the mercury plunged to two below. At Edmonton it was 2.4 above, the lowest April 18 reading in 61 years.

Father Held As Doukhobor Youth Slain

NELSON (CP)—Unaware that his brother had been slain, a Doukhobor youth slept through the night in the same bed as the corpse.

Joe Davidoff, 20-year-old Doukhobor, was shot to death in his bed Monday night, police announced today.

His 16-year-old brother came home late at night, he told police, crawled into bed and didn't discover until Tuesday morning that the brother was dead.

Police today arrested John Davidoff, 47-year-old father of the youths, but no charge has been laid.

The slaying occurred in the Davidoff home near Brilliant, B.C., 23 miles west of Nelson.

Davidoff was killed with a rifle bullet, the slayer firing through the bed clothes, which were soaked in blood.

The younger Davidoff told police that he, his father and a friend, all of whom lived in the house, had been out during the evening. They returned home about 11 p.m. The boy said they had gone to bed immediately. He thought Joe was sleeping.

Police said Davidoff had been killed between 8:30 and 11 p.m. Monday.

Trial Adjourned

Trial of Arthur Clarence Billett, charged with attempted robbery in connection with the attempted hold-up of the Douglas Street Safeway store, has been adjourned until Thursday.

Mr. Justice A. D. Macfarlane left today to preside over the Nanaimo Supreme Court.

This source said the Peiping reply would be read to the meeting today.

Mills Ned Wharf

NANAIMO, B.C. (CP)—Possibility that lumber mills in the Nanaimo district may be forced to shut down unless the port's assembly wharf is extended immediately, was claimed in a brief submitted to the federal government.

Hope Fading For British Sub; Search Intensified



"Twas a long, weary session," says Tom King, lawmaker from Golden.

House Winds Up Tonight After Lengthy Session

The Legislature ends its 1951 session tonight at 9.

Lieutenant-Governor Clarence Wallace will visit the Legislative Chamber at the Parliament Buildings with his private secretary and aides to give assent to legislation passed and prorogue the House.

The Legislature will have held sittings on 39 days since it opened the session Feb. 20. It will have been the longest session since 1930 when the House held sittings on 40 days.

Decision to have prorogation tonight instead of Thursday as planned previously was reached following the afternoon sitting Tuesday when good progress was

made in passage of bills.

The order paper was cleared almost entirely of legislation at the night sitting, leaving third reading on only a few bills for today's afternoon sitting, and deliberations on a few resolutions.

The prorogation sitting tonight will start at 8:30 to pass bills introduced Tuesday and His Honor will enter the Chamber a half-hour later to end the session.

Seven British Dockers Freed

LONDON (Reuters)—Seven dock workers' leaders were freed today from charges of strike conspiracy after their three-day trial had brought 9,000 London longshoremen out on a protest work stoppage.

Attorney-General Sir Hartley Shawcross said the findings of the jury were illogical and compelled him to drop the prosecution.

The jury Thursday failed to agree on a charge of inciting to strike, but found the men guilty of conspiring to induce dock workers to "absent themselves from work without their employers' consent."

He said that if a Commonwealth division is formed in Korea, Canada might have to send additional troops to that theatre. "Such a division would solve our administration problems," Brig. Rockingham declared.

Frost To Follow

VANCOUVER (CP)—Rain, the first in 20 days, today ended the forest fire hazard on the B.C. mainland. The showers were accompanied by a threat of frost tonight.

Commit Sadistic Abductor In East

KINGSTON, Ont. (CP)—A story of sadism was detailed in court today before Owen C. Dudgeon was committed for trial on a charge of abducting a 13-year-old Kingston boy.

The sandy-haired, 29-year-old Ottawa civil servant chose trial by judge and jury and didn't apply for bail.

Main witness Teddy Wainwright told of being hit over the head while walking home on the night of March 23. He then related a series of happenings that included being tied up, gagged, taken for an automobile ride, forced into different positions while clothed only in bathing trunks, and having the initials "TW" carved into his thigh.

Petaun In Coma As Death Nears

LA ROCHELLE, France (Reuters)—Philippe Petaun, former hero of France condemned to finish his life prisoner for wartime collaboration, is dying, a source at his fortress prison said today.

A telephone call to the mainland from the French Atlantic coast Isle d'Yeu said the former marshal, who will be 95 Tuesday, was in a coma. He has been suffering from congestion of the lungs since last week.

Rockingham Praises Men Going To Korea

By ROY THORSEN
Staff Representative

FORT LEWIS, Wash.—"The men I have in this brigade are as good as the men I had during World War I and you couldn't ask for anything better," Brig. John M. Rockingham, commander of the 25th Canadian Brigade that is Korea bound, told this reporter today.

"They are a splendid calibre of men—men I like to command," said the brigade commander who settled in Victoria in the early 30's.

Brig. Rockingham said his troops, scheduled to leave Fort Lewis within a few days, were as well-trained for battle as is possible under training conditions offered in a non-battle zone.

"As soon as they get off the boat they will have a few limbering up exercises and will be ready for the action mill," Rockingham said.

Brig. Rockingham said Canadian casualties in Korea will likely be higher than they were in Italy and Normandy.

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The rescue boats fired down new depth-charge signals in an attempt to re-establish contact.

Time Running Out Fast; Air Supply Fades

PORTSMOUTH (Reuters)—Planes and ships still scoured the English Channel late today as hope lessened for the British submarine Affray, with 75 aboard, missing since she dived Monday night.

The submarine still has not definitely been located though contact has been made and the British Navy admitted the long submersion reduced the prospect of rescue.

But the navy added there is "increasing evidence" the search is being concentrated in the right place.

A brief flurry of excitement was caused this afternoon when a R.A.F. plane sighted a white and yellow object on the sea down the Channel from Portsmouth but it turned out to be a false alarm.

Ships sent immediately to the spot in hopes it might be a marker buoy from the missing Affray reported back it was not a buoy and had no connection with the submarine.

RAIN BALKS SEARCH

Rain squalls hampered the hunt, now in its second day.

Hopes raised by early-morning tappings from the bed of the sea were already fading as time passed without sign of the sub's marking buoy or surfacing survivors.

The belief grew the 1,600-ton submarine—stuck on the bottom 200 feet down about 30 miles off the Isle of Wight—was canted on her side, preventing release of the buoy or escape of her men from the hatches.

Capt. William O. Shelford, British naval expert from the submarine depot ship Forth at Malta, was being rushed by air to Britain today to help.

At nearby Gosport, the home of many of the submarine men, weeping women waited by their radios.

Navy experts painted a grim picture of conditions inside the Affray if any of the 75 still lived.

LITTLE AIR LEFT

With oxygen supplies running out they would have to sit still, hardly talking. By 9 tonight their discomfort would be grave, though they could last out till tomorrow evening provided the submarine was undamaged, and they were distributed in different watertight compartments.

Out in the channel the navy, mustering every modern scientific aid, worked desperately to locate the lost sub.

They sought to plot weak supersonic signals heard earlier today after hours of ominous silence.

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U.S. To Supervise

WASHINGTON (AP)—Yugoslavia, it was disclosed today, has agreed to permit full American supervision of the use of raw materials to be provided from a new \$29,000,000 grant.

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NEWSPRINT ESSENTIAL, TAKEN UNDER CONTROL

OTTAWA (CP)—The Defence Production Department today declared newsprint an essential material and prepared to bring it under government control.

Two other scarce wood products, mechanical and chemical pulps, used in the production of such things as rayon and writing paper, also were declared essential.

These materials, widely in demand by a rearming world, will come under a new departmental branch to be headed by R. M. Fowler, president of the Canadian Pulp and Paper Association.

Two other members of the Association, F. L. Mitchell and J. M. Smith, will be associated with Mr. Fowler in the new Defence Production Branch.

ONE WOMAN'S DAY

By NANCY HODGES

WAR OF NERVES

BY THE TIME this appears in print, the Legislature will be on the eve of prorogation—if it has not already done so!—thus bringing to an end one of the most interesting and controversial sessions for many a year, but, at the same time, one of the most tiring ones for me.

A reader who has been following the debates with keen interest sent me a clipping from the Financial Post, accompanied by a note to the effect that I might be interested "in reading of the trials and tribulations, also the compensations, of Mr. Speaker in this Mother of Parliaments."

LONDON CALLING

WRITTEN by "Adelphi," the article describes the recent parliamentary war of nerves staged in the British House of Commons by the Opposition as of such unusual bitterness as to cause "parliamentary historians to discuss these stormy days a century from now."

And he notes the touch of irony in the fact that one of the casualties was Mr. Speaker. Col. Clifton-Brown, who occupies the Chair in the British House, is a 71-year-old Conservative M.P., elected for the constituency of Hexham, Northumberland. He had an extremely arduous time during the stormy sittings, chained to his seat until the early hours of the morning, day after day, often until 4 or 5 a.m., exercising the strictest neutrality and bombarded with irritable protests from both sides.

EARLY MORNING MISTAKE

AS "ADELPHI" notes: "Night after night and day after day the row went on. . . . All this time the House was in almost continual uproar. Every few minutes the Speaker would be asked for a ruling and when he gave it Churchill and his roughriders would challenge it. At 4 o'clock one morning the weary Mr. Speaker told a Tory Front Benchman that he was impertinent, and next day apologized for doing so. 'I am sorry that I said it,' said Clifton-Brown, 'and since it is nine years ago today that I became the Speaker of this Honorable House I take this occasion publicly to repent my blunder.'"

HIS FINAL TERM

UNDER the circumstances, it is hardly to be wondered at when Col. Clifton-Brown was ordered two weeks' rest by his doctor. And now he has announced his retirement as soon as the present Parliament ends.

But, as "Adelphi" points out, this action is not quite so sacrificial as it sounds, for a Speaker of the British House on retirement is made a Viscount and is given a pension of £5,000 a year. But there are other ancient perquisites of the Chair that still survive and which are set out in MacDonagh's book, "The Speaker of the House," and which intrigued me very much when I read the book.

BUCK AND DOE

AMONG VARIOUS gifts, for instance, are a buck and doe killed in the royal preserves at Windsor and sent annually to the Speaker. The Clothworkers' Company of London, one of the ancient city guilds, has from time immemorial sent the holder of the office a Christmas gift of a generous length of the best broadcloth. Whether that has been discontinued since the austerity program was introduced, I don't know.

Another curious privilege which the Speaker shares exclusively with royalty is to drive or ride through the archway of the Horse Guards between Whitehall and the Mall. It may not have much practical value today, but was first granted in the early 18th century when the Mall could only be reached from Westminster by the roundabout way of Piccadilly and Constitution Hill.

WOMAN MOOTED

AS MAY BE IMAGINED, the projected retirement of Col. Clifton-Brown from the Speakership had given rise to much conjecture as to who will succeed him. And I was accordingly interested to read, in a clipping sent me from the Sunday Express of London, that Lady Megan Lloyd-George, daughter of the former Prime Minister, has been mentioned for the office. The article goes on:

"Many Socialists would like to see Lady Megan wear the Speaker's wig. She would be the first woman to do so. But that need be no handicap. Brought up in politics, she has sat for Anglesey more than 21 years. She is at present the deputy leader of the Liberals. But as Speaker no one could doubt her impartiality. For already it is impossible to guess which way she will vote in any division."

ROYALLY ENTERTAINED

Ontario Men Praise Hosts In Australia

Mixed feelings were apparent aboard H.M.C.S. Ontario as the 8,000-ton cruiser docked at Melbourne today.

The 10-day stop in Sydney, Australia's largest city had been pleasant but Melbourne held new promises.

The 650-man crew have been unanimous in their praise of Australian friendliness and hospitality since Ontario first touched the continent at Brisbane.

Queensland railways provided free transportation, theatres free shows and tracks free tickets to the races run clockwise. But the hospitality heaped on the Canadians by the private citizens has been the most gratifying.

The trip, however, has not been all play.

PLAY AT WAR

Training exercises have been carried out with units of the Australian, New Zealand and

100 Years Of Science

EDINBURGH (CP) — More than 4,000 scientists, students, laymen and amateurs are expected to attend the 113th annual meeting of the British Association here in August. The main theme will be "100 Years of British Science" and the Duke of Edinburgh will speak.

HEARING-AID - BATTERIES
ACCESSORIES AND SERVICE

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Pakistan navies, and with planes of the R.A.A.F., and more exercises are scheduled.

In a Blue-Green war game earlier this month off Jervis Bay, New South Wales, 10 warships and two submarines participated.

Ontario, as a Blue cruiser, was ordered to destroy a Green force convoy, protected by six Sea Fury fighters.

Ontario was credited with two "kills."

Gulf Island Voters Approve School By-Law

GANGES — A \$75,000 school building by-law stood approved today by taxpayers of School District No. 64, embracing the Gulf Islands, by a vote of 354 to 129.

The school district will raise \$38,000 and the provincial government provide \$37,000.

Sees Water Rate Cut

V. C. Dawson, chairman of Brentwood waterworks district, today foresaw a reduction in water rates in 1952.

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The Unseen Audience : : : : BY H. T. WEBSTER



Johnson Paints Bright Future For P.G.E. Road

Premier Johnson can see the government-owned Pacific Great Eastern Railway becoming one of the province's most valuable assets.

He said in the Legislature Tuesday he is satisfied the line will begin paying for itself as soon as it is completed from Vancouver to the Peace River.

The Premier spoke at length during third reading of a bill authorizing the borrowing of \$11,000,000 for the railroad.

Mr. Johnson said the proposed southern extension from Squamish to North Vancouver and the completion of the northern

link to the Peace River would put the railroad on a paying basis and develop the province extensively.

He agreed with some private members that the government should not be in the railroad business, but the C.P.R. and the C.N.R. had not been favorable to taking part in a joint operation of the line.

The P.G.E. was not saleable, either, in its present state of running from "nowhere to nowhere."

Mr. Johnson did not go as far as H. J. Welch, Cdn.-Comm., who said the railroad should be completed for the sole purpose of selling it.

The extension of the railroad into North Vancouver was planned for the earliest possible date, but depended on availability of steel, reasonable interest rates and contracts.

The railroad had 57 acres of waterfront property in the heart of the industrial area of North Vancouver for its new southern terminus, and had kept its right-of-way through West Vancouver for the extension.

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First Island Man In Casualty List

Nanaimo Soldier Reported Wounded, Six Others On List; Total Now 86

The first island casualty of the Korean war was reported today in a Canadian Press dispatch.

Listed as wounded was Pte. Edward Douglas Bishop whose wife, Mrs. Mary E. Bishop, is listed as residing at 527 Hamilton Street, Nanaimo. Efforts to contact her at that address were unsuccessful and it is believed she has moved from the city.

Today's list brought to 86 the number of casualties suffered by the 2nd Battalion, P.P.C.L.I. in Korean action. They include 22 dead, 58 wounded and six injured in battle accidents.

Others reported wounded today were:

Hill, Alfred Lee, Lieut.; Windsor, Ont.
Barkwell, William Russel, Pte.; Minden, Ont.
Gray, Arthur Hill, Sgt.; Hamilton, Ont.
Hayward, Henry, Pte.; Churchill, Man.
Smith, Jackie Ellis, Pte.; Midland, Ont.

Mainland Highway Buried By Slide

MERRITT (CP) — Workmen from the Public Works Department have a big job Tuesday, one that will take all summer.

They started to clear a landslide that blocked the only direct road between here and Spences Bridge.

The 1,600-foot-long slide swept over the highway Monday when mud and giant rocks rolled down the mountainside.

"The entire mountainside fell onto the road," said an engineer.

The rumble of the slide could be heard at Spences Bridge, 32 miles away.

A detour may be made over an old logging road that runs above and behind the blocked highway.

Story Of Wheat Told Kiwanians

The story of a kernel of wheat from the time it leaves a freight car until it reaches a bag of flour was told by W. Percy Wright, assistant city clerk, in a humorous talk entitled "Through the Mill" at Victoria Kiwanis Club luncheon, Tuesday.

Members discussed plans for the annual spring conference of Kiwanis Clubs in Division I, Pacific Northwest District, to be held Saturday at Port Angeles.

CANCEL GARDEN SHOW

The annual spring show of the View Royal Garden Club, scheduled for Saturday, has been cancelled because of extensive damage to plants done during the winter, club officials reported.

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Reeve Pickles Critical Of Board Action

Results and methods of the apportionment board and subsequent validating act introduced into the Legislature Monday, which recommended \$54,787 as Central Saanich's share of Saanich assets, were scored by Reeve Sydney Pickles of Central Saanich, Tuesday.

"The findings of the board have been arbitrarily forced on our municipality without giving us a chance to study the results," he said, adding he believed all information and figures used at board hearings were supplied by employees of Saanich.

Total asset figure of \$476,414 was arrived at and the apportionment board majority report recommended Central Saanich's share should be 11 1/2 per cent.

Reeve Pickles contended Saanich had access to information and "we have been denied it."

COMING TO VICTORIA Aug. 23 with sons Shane and Brian after 10-12-day fishing trip aboard Lieutenant-Governor Wallace's yacht will be Governor-General Alexander. Government House here said a reception would be arranged when official plans are announced.

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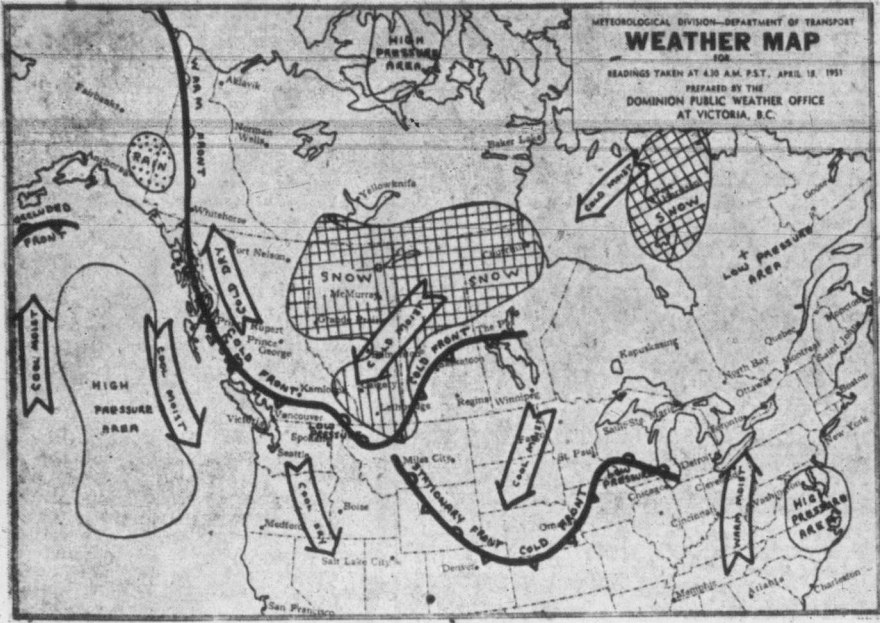
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Canada's Weather Picture Today

SYNOPSIS—The polar air mass which moved into central B.C. during the night has moved as far west as the Queen Charlotte Islands and as far south as the southern Okanagan and the eastern slope of the Cascades. During the day the cold air will continue to spread south and west and by this evening will cover all the province. Along the coast squallish winds of 50 miles per hour are expected to develop in most mainland inlets during the day and will persist until Thursday. Temperatures in all sections of the province will be much colder overnight and Thursday.

REGIONAL FORECASTS VALID UNTIL MIDNIGHT THURSDAY

Victoria—Clearing after midnight. A few clouds Thursday. Cooler tonight. Winds light, increasing to northeast 15 this afternoon. Low tonight and high Thursday at Victoria. 35 and 56.
Vancouver, Georgia Strait—Cloudy, clearing by late afternoon. A few clouds tonight and Thursday. Ground frost tonight. Winds light except northeast 20 this afternoon. Low tonight and high Thursday at Vancouver Airport. 32 and 52. Nanaimo 30 and 54.

TEMPERATURES

St. John's	Min.	Max.	Precip.	N. Battleford	Min.	Max.	Precip.	Crescent Valley	Min.	Max.	Precip.
Halifax	35	46	.26	Prince Albert	25	33	.02	Prince Rupert	30	39	.70
Montreal	36	44	.08	Swift Current	24	33	.02	Prince George	30	39	.42
Ottawa	33	43	.03	Medicine Hat	15	45	.06	Seattle	43	54	.54
Toronto	30	40	.00	Lethbridge	11	41	.17	Portland	47	61	.81
North Bay	30	37	.10	Calgary	4	33	.33	Spokane	41	52	.72
Port Arthur	22	32	.10	Edmonton	4	33	.11	Chicago	46	57	.04
Kenora	19	28	.00	Kamloops	43	73	.00	San Francisco	41	80	.00
Winnipeg	20	30	.00	Penticton	39	70	.00	Los Angeles	55	65	.00
Brandon	20	30	.00	Vancouver	46	57	.00	New York	40	51	.00
The Pas	14	25	.00	VICTORIA	45	57	.00	Whitehorse	29	50	.00
Regina	24	35	.00	Kimberley	43	72	.00	New Westminster	45	59	.00
Saskatoon	24	42	.00								

50 Abandon Homes As Ottawa River Continues To Rise; Fourth Life Lost

OTTAWA (CP)—The levels of flooding waters of the Ottawa River valley continued early today to inch higher and higher—river men called them higher than anytime since 1909—but the main pressure appeared to have shifted down-river from the capital.

At Rockland, 25 miles east of

Midwest Flood Wreaks Havoc

CHICAGO (AP)—Thousands were homeless and other thousands threatened with evacuation today by flood waters from the mighty Mississippi, on a rampage in the midwest states.

The Red Cross estimated 23,000 persons from St. Paul to Quincy, Ill., braced for what may be the most disastrous floods in years.

The river, which hit a record 17.4-foot level at Winona, Minn., Tuesday night, was expected to crest slightly above that mark today.

here, more than 50 persons had to leave living quarters, chased out by the turgid Ottawa River. Three feet of water covered the highway east of town.

At Hawkesbury, Ont., 50 miles east of Ottawa, the river invaded the low-lying section of the town and washed over the bridge leading to the town's pump-house on an island in the stream. A lumber mill was shut down.

The swollen Ottawa at Hawkesbury also prevented the recovery of the body of Omer Duscheneau, 41. He was hurled into the frothing stream after being struck by a C.N.R. locomotive while he was working on a railway bridge.

The flooding Ottawa also still held the bodies of three men from Vinton, Que., who were drowned Monday night when the surging current swamped their boat 60 miles northwest of Ottawa.

A huge pump, capable of pumping 15,000,000 gallons in a day, which Ottawa had—and didn't use—for 22 years until it

was sent to Winnipeg last year to help defeat the rampaging Red River, may be put into use this week. It is to be used in the Ottawa suburb of Belltown which has been flooded by waters backing up through railway culverts.

Parade Of Bands At Crystal May 1

Eighty-five musicians, representing 14 orchestras and other musical groups, will participate in the eighth annual "Parade of Bands" to be staged by Victoria Local 247 of the Musicians' Union on Tuesday, May 1, at the Crystal Garden.

The parade will begin at 9 and music will continue until 1.30. Both upper ballrooms of the Crystal will be used with music being supplied for both modern and old-time dancing.

New Parish Hall To Be Dedicated

Bishop Harold E. Sexton will officiate Friday afternoon at 3.30 at the opening and dedication of the new parish hall donated to the South Saanich Anglican parish by the Westinghouse family in memory of their mother.

The late Mrs. Evelyn Violet Westinghouse was a worker in the Women's Auxiliary and often expressed the wish that the parish had better facilities for its work.

6 Western European Nations Sign Pact

Agree To Pool Steel And Coal For Common Good Under Schuman Plan

PARIS (UP)—Six Western European governments signed today the 50-year Schuman Pact pooling their combined \$4,000,000,000 coal and steel resources for the common good.

President Of Portugal Dies In Fourth Term

LISBON (Reuters)—Marshal Antonio Oscar Carmona, President of Portugal since 1926, died today. He was 81.

His doctors said the President had suffered a sudden breakdown.

Carmona became President in 1926 and has since been elected three times. He began his fourth seven-year term in 1949.

A veteran military figure, Marshal Carmona became head of state in 1926 after a military coup. He was elected president in 1928.

Following his election, he brought Portugal's present strong man, Dr. Antonio de Oliveira Salazar, into the cabinet as Finance Minister. Salazar soon after became Premier and subsequently took over control of the government.

Salazar, in accordance with the constitution, now assumes the presidency until elections are held within the next three months. He is expected to be a candidate.

A new political era may begin with the death of Carmona. One of the builders of the new Portugal, he had been a backbone of Salazar's regime, one of the strongest supporters and closest friends of the premier. Though Salazar made the decisions, he did so in the closest consultation and always in agreement with Carmona.

Salazar now has tremendous prestige in the country, much of it due to Carmona's support and his great backing in the army.

Resolution On War Doomed

WASHINGTON (AP)—The Senate Democratic leader, Ernest McFarland, today predicted a pigeonhole fate for legislation by Senator Harry P. Cain (Rep., Wash.) asking Congress to declare war against Communist China and North Korea.

The Arizona senator also forecast shelving of an alternative resolution offered by Cain—withdrawal of U.S. forces from Korea.

Cain introduced the resolutions yesterday, saying it is time for the U.S. and her allies to "put up or shut up."

Heads Dickens Group

Harry Wood has been re-elected president of the Dickens Fellowship and Mrs. A. B. Chatton was elected vice-president. W. L. Llewellyn was named treasurer, and Mrs. D. H. White secretary.

FORTUNE IN DRUGS FOUND ON WARSHIP

LOS ANGELES (UP)—Federal authorities held a 20-year-old navy pharmacist's mate today for allegedly smuggling \$125,000 in morphine aboard the battleship Missouri.

In custody was Donald F. Pastoria of Breckenridge, Pa., who narcotics agents said tried to sell 16 grains of the drug to a federal undercover man.

The narcotic, 20 ounces of pure morphine, was discovered aboard ship while the "Mighty Mo" was en route to Norfolk, Va., for overhauling. Pastoria was arrested Saturday after the Missouri returned from the Korean war.

North Atlantic Air Chiefs Plan Meeting

WASHINGTON (AP)—The air chiefs of Canada, the United States, Britain and France will meet here within the next two weeks, the United States air force announced today.

Those attending the session will be Gen. Hoyt S. Vandenberg, U.S. Chief of Air Staff; Air Marshal D. A. Curtis, R.C.A.F. Chief of Air Staff; Gen. Charles Francois Leclercq, Chief of Staff of the French Air Force, and Marshal of the Royal Air Force Sir John Slessor.

Although the four nations are members of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization, the forthcoming conference appears to involve civil regional defence and production problems.

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Abbott Hints Controls, Rationing In Emergency

OTTAWA (CP)—Finance Minister Abbott said Tuesday night that the Canadian government might, "if the emergency develops, extend controls even to the point of rationing of basic commodities."

In a speech prepared for delivery over a national network in the CBC's "nation's business" series, Mr. Abbott said that control of personal expenditures rather than rationing is needed at present.

He outlined the main features of the budget brought down a week ago and said that to combat inflation all personal consumption and capital investment must be reduced.

"Otherwise in the scramble for scarce goods inflation will result, there will be internal disruptions, and the defence program will suffer," said Mr. Abbott.

"Personal expenditure could, of course, be restricted by rationing. I say rationing and not price control, because price control does nothing to limit consumption and unfortunately consumption must be reduced where the materials are needed elsewhere.

"We may, if the emergency develops, extend controls even to the point of rationing of basic commodities; but, as an officer in one of our women's organiza-

tions said to me the other day, what we now need is purse control and not price control. Control your purses and that will control prices."

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Discriminating Against Us

APART ALTOGETHER FROM THE temporary aberration of Mr. Gardiner's wheat deal, the Canadian Government is deeply dissatisfied with the trade policies of Britain. In words as blunt as good international manners allow, Mr. Abbott recently protested in the Canadian Parliament that Britain was discriminating against Canadian goods.

There is no dispute about the facts. Britain is barring out certain Canadian goods by refusing to license their importation and is admitting similar goods from Europe, from sterling area countries and western Germany. The only question is whether this policy of straight discrimination is justified.

Britain, like all the other signatories, pledged itself in the postwar Geneva trade agreements to avoid discrimination, to treat the goods of all nations alike. In practice this proved impossible. So great was the distortion of world trade that Britain was compelled to use the escape clauses of the Geneva agreements and place restrictions on United States and Canadian goods, simply because it lacked dollars to pay for them. In the exchange crisis of 1947 Canada was compelled for the same reason to restrict American imports.

As the exchange crisis passed Canada and Britain followed different policies. Canada removed its temporary restrictions as fast as it earned dollars to buy American goods. Britain has retained its restrictions on Canadian goods, even though its dollar reserves have grown far beyond its expectations and even though it is earning in Canada virtually as many dollars as it is spending here.

The almost incredible fact is that, for

the first time in modern history, Canadian-British trade was virtually in balance last year. Britain and the sterling area sold Canada \$646 millions and bought from Canada \$676 millions for an insignificant deficit of \$30 millions.

As Mr. Abbott complains, Britain has not used this improvement in its trading position with Canada to relax its temporary discrimination against Canadian goods. On the contrary, the discrimination has lately been widened to restrict more classes of imports from Canada. The result is that last year's trade balance was only by reducing Canadian imports into Britain from the 1949 figure of \$1 billion to \$676 millions. Canada's historic British market has been whittled down to about a fifth of its total foreign market.

Fortunately the United States has more than taken up this slack or Canada would be in the throes of a devastating depression today. Nevertheless, the British market is vital to some classes of Canadian producers, as it is valuable to such British Columbia industries as fish and apples.

The Canadian Government is justified in asking Britain, in its present improved position, to move away from discrimination instead of moving farther into it. What Mr. Abbott is really asking, in diplomatic language, is whether the British socialist government, devoted as it is to government control of everything and the total state management of all trade, really intends to carry out the Geneva agreements or not. Doubt on this point is making trouble between Canada and Britain at the very moment when both can afford it least.

First Priority For Defence

UNTIL THE FULL CITY COUNCIL has worked through the estimates, expenditure totals in departmental budgets seldom provide a definite indication of the amount by which the city tax rate will be varied. This year, however, with school cost increases amounting to the equivalent of 4.6 mills, no substantial reduction is expected from the total which at present would require a jump of 10 mills in the rate. Presumably the figure will be chipped down to a seven or eight mill increase and the rate will be struck at under 60 mills.

In view of current conditions—increased wages and material costs appear as unavoidable as the boost in the educational account—the city fathers will unquestionably give close and critical scrutiny to new projects. They will be justified in firm action on such under-

takings for two specific reasons. In the first instance the Federal Government has made an appeal to all public bodies to curtail expenditure, not just to leave more in the pockets of taxpayers, from whom larger levies will be made by the nation, but to reduce the inflationary influences of purchasing. The more the city buys, the slimmer is the civilian stock for which private individuals will bid up prices.

Secondly, delay in any municipal projects which are not absolutely essential will assist the country in its defence effort by avoiding competitive demands for materials and manpower.

Certain work must, of course, be carried on. Under circumstances now prevailing, however, it should be held to a minimum by the city. The first job of Victorians is national defence.

The Standard Must Fall

OPINIONS WILL DIFFER ON THE wisdom of labor unions' latest demands for direct price controls. There will be no argument about the need to halt inflation by this or other means. But some of the unions show a complete misunderstanding of inflation and its cure when they complain to the Government that higher prices are reducing the general standard of living.

Of course high prices are reducing the standard of living but there is no escape from that reduction, whatever the level of prices may be. For prices are only a mathematical indicator of a physical fact, and the physical fact is that we have less goods than the public is trying to buy with its money—and soon we shall have still less goods when more of them go into weapons.

Our living standard, which depends

on our production of consumer goods, has to fall, not perhaps seriously, if total war can be avoided, but somewhat. That became inevitable as soon as the defence program was undertaken. By no means can the Canadian Government, or any other government in similar circumstances, prevent that result.

It will be prevented, in due time, the living standard will rise again, only when our total production of goods increases so that we can supply at the same time the needs of the defence program and the goods the people desire.

That time is several years off at best. Meanwhile, it is useless to protest against a fall in living standards, and if any group manages to escape it, by sharply raising its money wages, then other groups must accept still less goods out of the falling supply.

Warning In Slash Fires

THOUGH SLASH FIRES, BURNING out of control for a short time last weekend, were held from valuable timber stands, the speed and widespread character of the outbreaks have served definite notice on all citizens of the dangerous conditions existing in the woods. The fire season, whether officially declared or not, is on us. The warning should be accepted immediately by all our people.

Last year human carelessness was responsible for one-quarter of the forest fires occurring in British Columbia and was accountable for one-tenth of the loss through them. In the Vancouver Forest District, which includes Vancouver Island, campers were blamed for 215 fires costing \$3,147 in destruction, while

smokers caused another 281 for which the toll was \$37,016.

Those figures tell their own story. They list the wealth that was needlessly taken from British Columbia and Vancouver Island by sheer lack of thought. They cannot begin to tell the story of the desolation, the acres of blackened snags, that was left.

A few simple precautions can avoid a repetition of this drama of waste. Don't throw lighted cigarettes, cigar stubs, lighted or glowing matches out of car windows when driving along the highway. And don't take chances with a campfire when the surrounding country and woods are tinder dry. It is part of the job of every British Columbian to see that we keep our forests green.

Too Bad About Moose Jaw

CANDIDLY SPEAKING, WE ARE A little disappointed about Moose Jaw. This is one of the great picture names of Canada. It conjures up all the memories and legends of the Wild West when the nation was young, and most Canadians have always imagined, rather vaguely, that behind the name of the prairie city lies some tale of high adventure. Alas, the Moose Jaw Times-Herald, after months of research, can find nothing of the sort.

The tale of an early settler mending his broken wagon with the jaw of a moose turns out to be baseless. There was no such settler and no such moose.

Moose Jaw is simply the white man's version of the Indian name of a local creek called "Monachapiskamis Sipi," which was too hard for the white man's jaw to articulate. The Indian words mean Moose Jaw Creek all right but no Indian remembers any moose thereabouts.

Thus perishes an exciting little Canadian tradition, but only for the moment. Despite the historians' future generations undoubtedly will construct a new myth, which will be implicitly believed and no doubt written into the school books. It will take more than facts to kill a name like Moose Jaw.

Loose Ends

By BRUCE HUTCHISON

THE publisher of the good old Montreal Gazette has sent me with his compliments a copy of an editorial in his newspaper condemning reporters like me who have had occasion to write frankly about the United States and bitterly assailing Mr. Pearson, who has lately spoken with admirable candor on the same subject.



Hutchison

According to the philosophy of The Gazette, this is not a decent subject for Canadians to discuss. Apparently the policies of the United States toward Canada are, like sex and similar matters, not to be mentioned in polite society.

Mr. Pearson, one is glad to see, does not feel any such refinement and restraint. In Toronto recently he spoke of Canadian-American relations as if they were something quite fit for the respectable Canadian and American ears. He rightly identified them, as perhaps the most important business before this country.

IN the key passage of his speech Mr. Pearson said that "while we are most anxious to work with her (the United States) and support her in the leadership she is giving to the free world, we are not willing to be merely an echo of somebody else's voice." This remark has given The Gazette a ladylike fainting spell. The notion that Canada should not be an echo of somebody else's voice is, for The Gazette and the small minority of Canadians who think with it, a kind of obscenity committed in the drawing room. This sort of thing, The Gazette believes, is likely to poison the long friendship of two good neighbors. It is an intolerable insult to the rich folks next door.

HERE may be detected the remnants of Canadian colonialism, what John W. Dufoe called the Butler Mind. Not long ago the Butler Mind of Canada refused to discuss this country's relations with Britain as something too sacred for utterance. The decisions of Whitehall, like the acts of God, were not to be questioned by a God-fearing people. Since the Canadian colonial cannot longer lean on Britain he must lean on the more powerful United States. He must always lean on something even if it is only a lamp post.

Mr. Pearson is not very good at leaning. He does not need a lamp post. But perhaps it would surprise The Gazette to know that Mr. Pearson, standing erect on the Canadian earth and speaking his mind, is the most popular foreign statesman in Washington, is closer to the Americans than any other visitor from the outside world. The Americans are not insulted by this candor. On the contrary, it might occur to The Gazette that it insults the Americans by suggesting that they cannot accept occasional advice and even criticism from their friends.

MR. PEARSON is an important figure in the world by his own abilities but more important as a symbol of Canada's growth. He is not obsessed, as many of his predecessors were, by that rather noisome thing, Canada's status as an independent nation, for status already has been won. Mr. Pearson's own status among the statesmen of the world is just one sign among many that Canada is accepted everywhere as a major nation, except among the Butler Minds, which cannot grow, which, by an instinct well known to psychiatrists, are always trying to crawl back into the womb of history.

It may not be known yet in the editorial offices of The Gazette but it is well known in Washington that Canada has become at least the fourth most powerful state in the western world and not so very far hence inevitably must become the second—not through any particular merit, perhaps, but by an accident of geography and the possession of certain natural resources. This being so, our problem as Canadians is no longer one of status but of responsibility.

OUR responsibilities are greater than we realize. And one of them is to get along with our gigantic neighbor and act as our geography and history compel us to act—as the honest broker between him and the rest of the English-speaking world. That responsibility Mr. Pearson is attempting to fulfill as no Canadian statesman has ever done.

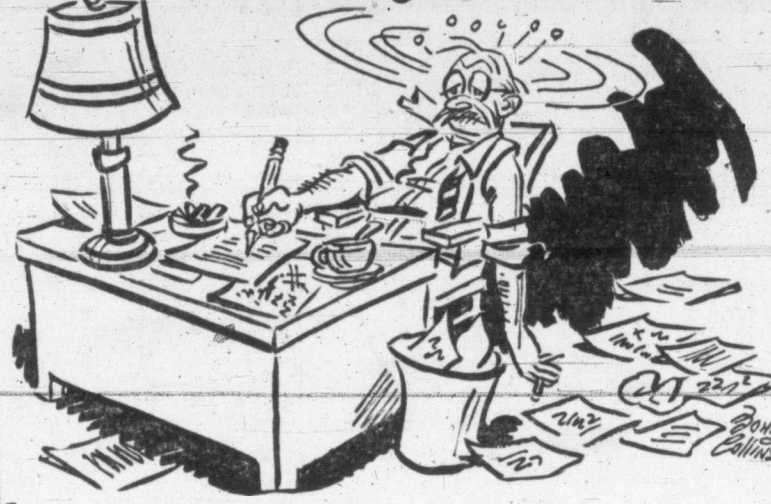
If one half of his job is to tell the Commonwealth about the United States, which Canadians understand better than any other foreigners, the other half assuredly is to tell the United States what Canada and the other Commonwealth nations think about it. Yet as soon as he does so, in the most friendly way (who can be as friendly and irresistible as Mr. Mike?) the Butler Minds scream, in an agony of arrested growth, that he is destroying the unity of the free world and very likely will set a conquering American army on the march northward, led by Senator Taft, Senator Wherry, Mr. Hearst, Colonel McCormick and General Ulysses S. Grant.

IN POINT of fact all that happens when Mr. Pearson speaks out, as he always does in international conferences, is that the United States Government thanks him privately for his help in educating the American people.

The thesis of Mr. Pearson's speech is that the American people do not understand Canada very well, not because they dislike us but because they like us too well without bothering to find out what we think about anything. They only seem aware of us, as Mr. Pearson says, when we do something they don't like. No thoughtful American will deny Mr. Pearson's complaint. The only place where his motives will be questioned is in Canada where the surviving Butler Minds, fortunately dying out these days, fall flat when there is no lamp post to lean on.

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A government that does not maintain equity is an enemy of the poor.

L. BROWN.

512 Simcoe St.

... IS MY SHEPHERD?

The Memphis Commercial Appeal has come up with a very witty parody on the 23rd Psalm that would seem to be especially applicable to the socialistically inclined:

"The State is my shepherd, I shall not work; it maketh me to lie down on good jobs; it leadeth me by the still factories. It tendeth my soul; it leadeth me in the paths of idleness for politics' sake. Yea, though I walk through the valley of slothfulness and economic disaster, I will fear no evil, for it will be with me. It prepareth a Utopia for me by appropriating the earnings of the frugal; it filleteth my head with fool expectations; my mounting inefficiency runneth over. Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life, and I shall live on the bounty of the State forever."

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SWEEPSTAKES

Recently we were reading much about lucky ticket holders in the Irish sweepstakes. I think this is disastrous publicity, since it acts as a bait to the get-rich-quick, the many of us who would like to get something for nothing. When we read of these huge prizes running into hundreds of thousands of dollars, it would be illuminating if figures could be given showing the millions that go out of the country to produce such sums. When you consider the rakeoff for hospitals, the thousands employed in receiving and sorting this mountain of tickets, commissions paid and costs of printing and distribution, I think it doubtful if as much as 75 per cent goes back to the bettors. Unless they lost more than they gained the lottery would soon cease to function.

I understand that the purchase of these tickets in Canada is against the law. Then why are these millions allowed to get out every year. In the last war we were restricted from buying an imported head of lettuce, and yet all the while this drain in a gambling venture was allowed to go on. Where are our ornamental R.C.M.P. who always get their man yet catch so few of these sweepstake gamblers? Nor does this implicitly reflect much credit on our Dominion wide secret service or even our local police.

JAMES MORTON.

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What War With China Means

By WALTER LIPPMANN

IF THERE is to be a public agitation, led by Gen. MacArthur, for war with China, there should be no illusions about the violence of the debate which will ensue throughout the non-Communist nations of the world. It is hard to think of a single country where such an agitation for war would not impair, if it did not ruin, the United States' position and influence.

The agitation would strain near to the breaking point our alliance with the British nations and with Western Europe. It would widen—perhaps irreparably—the breach which has already been made between this country and the Arab-Asian bloc. All of Western Europe and for all practical purposes virtually every country in southern Asia, the Middle East and North Africa, would disagree strongly with Gen. MacArthur's view, as in effect he stated it to Rep. Martin, that the global conflict with Communism can be won by defeating China in alliance with Chiang Kai-shek.

In considering the claim that the global struggle with Communism can be won in China, there are certain things which it is well to have in mind.

REDEPLOYMENT

One of them is that a general war in the Far East would require the redeployment of a large part of the big bomber force. This might, at a rough guess, divert to the proposed war with China about half the striking air power now acting as the prime deterrent against a war by the Soviet Union with the Atlantic community. The burden of proof is on anyone who proposes to

divide up and to scatter the ultimate strategic reserves of the free world.

Another thing to be borne in mind is that there is no reason to think that China could be defeated by air power. Not even North Korea, with our air force unopposed, has been defeated by air power. China, which is a vast country without great industry, without vital centres on which the whole country depends, would be harder to knock out by strategic bombing than almost any other great nation.

A war with China would mean that the United States Strategic Air Force, now the main military element in being to maintain the peace with the Soviet Union, would be divided. A very considerable part of it would be committed to a secondary war. The chances of a decisive victory, even against China, would be small. The chances of a decision in the global struggle would be nil. The world struggle against Communism cannot be won by destroying Peiping, Shanghai and other Chinese cities.

MUST HAVE BASES

The scattering of American air power in order to wage a war that all our allies oppose would make acute a problem about which little has been said. The Strategic Air Force cannot carry out the task for which it exists—namely to deter the Soviet Union by its capacity to bomb the Soviet Union—unless it is able to use air bases on the territory of our allies.

These air bases will not be available to the U.S. unless the countries that own the bases approve the war in which we are engaged. Now the fact of the matter is that the countries which do own the most important bases are the very countries which are least ready to approve, are in fact most vehemently opposed to, the kind of war with China which Gen. MacArthur believes we ought to wage.

Mike Pearson On Uncle Sam

(In a recent Toronto speech Mr. L. B. Pearson, Canadian Minister of External Affairs, spoke candidly on the relations between Canada and the United States. The sense of Mr. Pearson's significant speech is conveyed in the following extracts which all Canadians can usefully ponder.)

IN OUR relations with the United Kingdom we have come of age and have abandoned the sensitiveness of the debutante. This has been made easier because any worry we once may have had, and we had it, that British imperialism or continentalism might pull us into international wars not of our own making or choice.

Now, as we accept the Commonwealth of Nations as a valuable and proven instrument for international co-operation; as a great agency for social and economic progress, and possibly, at the present time, most important of all, as a vital and almost the only bridge between the free West and the free East, I think also that in the post-war years we have come to appreciate, as possibly never before, the wisdom, tolerance, and far-sighted steadiness of vision of the British people. As their material power has decreased, at least temporarily, because of the unparalleled sacrifices they have made in two world wars, I think that our need for these other British qualities has increased in the solution of international difficulties. This, in my mind, has never been shown more clearly than in the events of the last six months at the United Nations.

With the United States our relations grow steadily closer as we recognize that our destinies, economic and political, are inseparable in the Western hemisphere, and that Canada's hope for peace depends largely on the acceptance by the United States of responsibility for world leadership and on how that responsibility is discharged. With this closeness of contact and with, I hope, our growing maturity goes a mutual understanding and fundamental friendliness.

FRANK TALK

This makes it possible for us to talk with a frankness and confidence to the United States, which is not misunderstood there except possibly by a minority who think that we shouldn't talk at all, or who complain that if we do, our accents are too English. But we need not try to deceive ourselves that these close relations with our great neighbor will always be smooth and easy. There will be difficulties and frictions. These, however, will be easier to settle if the United States realizes that while we are most anxious to work with her and support her in the leadership she is giving to the free world, we are not willing to be merely an echo of somebody else's voice.

It would be easier also if it were recognized by the United States at this time that we in Canada have had our own experience of tragedy and suffering and loss in war. In our turn, we should be careful not to transfer the suspicions and sensitiveness and hesitations of yesteryear from London to Washington. Nor should we get unduly hot and bothered over all the pronouncements of journalists or generals or politicians which we do not like, though there may be, indeed are, some on which we have a right to express our views.

More important, we must convince the United States by action rather than merely by word that we are, in fact, pulling our weight in this international team. On their side, they should not attempt to tell us that until we do one-twelfth or one-sixteenth, or some other fraction as much as they are doing in any particular enterprise, we are defaulting. It would also help if the United States took more notice of what we do, and, indeed occasionally of what we say.

DISCONCERTING

It is disconcerting, for instance, that about the only time the American people seem to be aware of our existence, in contrast say to the existence of a Latin American republic, is when we do something that they do not like, or do not do something which they would like.

There may be other ripples on the surface of our friendship in the days ahead, but we should do everything we can in Canada, and this applies especially to the Government, and in the Government particularly to the Department of External Affairs, to prevent these ripples becoming angry waves which may weaken the foundation of our friendship. I do not think that this will happen. It will certainly be less likely to happen, however, if we face the problems frankly and openly of our mutual relationship. That relationship, as I see it, means marching with the United States in the pursuit of the objectives which we share. It does not mean being pulled along, or loitering behind.

Nevertheless, the days of relatively easy and automatic political relations with our neighbor are, I think, over. They are over because, on our side, we are more important in the continental and international scheme of things, and we loom more largely now as an important element in United States and in free world plans for defence and development. They are over also because the United States is now the dominating world power on the side of freedom. Our preoccupation is no longer whether the United States will discharge her international responsibilities, but how she will do it and how the rest of us will be involved.

A small town is the place where a person can acquire a reputation as a lengthy telephone conversationalist.

NEW RULING FOR GROCERS ON MAINLAND

Vancouver grocery stores are placed in the same category as service stations in regard to after-hour opening by a bill being passed by the Legislature.

The City Council of Vancouver is empowered to allow certain gas stations to remain open at night to serve the motoring public.

Similarly, amendments to the Shops Regulations and Weekly Holiday Act, will give the mainland city's council power to allow certain grocery stores to remain open after closing hours for the convenience of the public.

Trade routes of Asia Minor, which connected the east with the west about 2,000 B.C., were the first highways known.

Defeat Margarine Bill As Closest Vote Seen

Six Coalitionists Give Support
In 26 To 15 Division Of House

Two controversial issues which provoked lengthy debate—the Elections Act providing for the preferential ballot which went through third reading, and a bill to allow coloring of margarine which was defeated on second reading—marked the night sitting of the Legislature Tuesday.

The C.C.F. fought bitterly against sections of the Elections Act dealing with multiple-seat ridings, and the order of candidates on ballots.

Arguments presented the day before for the breaking down of multi-seat ridings into single-seat ridings were repeated.

And the stand that the C.C.F. candidates should have second place on the ballot paper instead of third position was taken again.

The official Opposition members were supported in most of

their arguments by the Independent (former Conservative-Coalition) member for South Okanagan, W. A. C. Bennett.

There was a division called on the margarine bill presented by the second Independent member (also a former Tory-Coalitionist) Mrs. Tilly Rolsten, Vancouver-Point Grey.

The woman member's bill brought the closest vote of the session, 26 to 15. She was joined by six Coalition members, seven C.C.F. members, and Labor member Tom Uphill.

Six Coalition members to support the bill were Capt. D. J. Proudfoot, Victoria, Reg MacDougall, Vancouver-Point Grey; J. G. Gould, Vancouver-Burrard; Maurice Finnerty, Similkameen; Allan McDonnell, Vancouver Centre, and B. M. MacIntyre, Mackenzie.

Agriculture Minister Harry Bowman was one of the last to speak on the bill. He suggested the coloring of margarine by the manufacturer, which would undoubtedly increase sales, would jeopardize the milk supply.

Ottawa Goes Slow On 5 Jailed Nuns

OTTAWA (UPI)—The government Tuesday soft-pedaled its efforts to get five Canadian nuns out of a Chinese Communist prison because any fast move might worsen their plight.

The nuns, who operated an orphanage near Canton, were jailed by the Reds in March. They were charged with causing the deaths of some 2,000 ailing children they had taken in and were trying to nurse back to health.

Western government and church officials called the charges unfounded and irresponsible.

On Inspection Tour

Lt.-Col. Rev. Sidney E. Lambert, O.B.E., president of the War Amputations Association of Canada, will visit Victoria from May 3 to 7 as part of an inspection tour of all branches.



Times Gives Porch Service

In addition to providing its readers with up-to-the-minute news and the best in featured news, the Times provides 100 per cent delivery service. Jimmy Creed, Hillside district carrier, provides porch service.

Opposition Scores Many Points In Abbott Budget

OTTAWA (CP)—A variety of demands were placed before the Government as the Commons continued a free-swinging debate on the budget.

The discussion ranged from taxation to the employment of older workers, from irrigation to wheat, and from coal to immigration.

Donald Fleming (P.C.-Toronto-Eglinton) suggested the Government withdraw the increase to 10 from 8 per cent—in the general sales tax. He said Finance Minister Abbott could not have done worse than to boost that tax. The increase in commodity taxes had fallen heavily on many things that were needed in the average Canadian household.

Robert Cauchon (L.-Beauhar-nois, Que.), suggested establishment of a special House committee to investigate means of providing and finding employment opportunities for older workers.

F. D. Shaw (S.C.-Red Deer) called for inauguration of a national fuel policy to save the Alberta coal industry from collapse. He said the development of oil and gas in the province had placed the coal industry in a serious position. New markets and new uses for coal must be found.

Leon Crestohl (L.-Montreal-Cartier) said an effective immigration policy is essential for the industrial, commercial and defensive future of Canada.

HOME GARDEN

by Jack Rasmussen

Home gardeners are asking: "When do I plant out tomatoes?"

Except in the most favored locations, the local dates are from the end of May through the beginning of June.

Gardeners around Victoria have always been fooled by good weather in April and hundreds of plants are lost each year through setting out before the nights are warm.

My seeds were sown on April 11, germinated on April 16. The seedlings will go into plant beds or pots in which they can be held for suitable weather. Sowing is done approximately six weeks before planting-out date.



Jack

The tomato is a native of Peru and for success (that means big vines with a heavy crop) they must have steady growth until fruit is set, and this is impossible with night temperatures below 45 degrees.

Frosts have been reported within the last two weeks in both Shoal Bay and Marigold districts, which counsels gardeners to refrain from sowing or planting tender crops outdoors. If it is too early to plant-out why are plants offered for sale in the stores? This question is best answered by a commercial grower in a trade magazine.

His father was one of the old school who would not sell a plant until the time was right for setting out. Sales of tomato plants were then around 10,000 a season.

After the father's death, a survey showed that the tomatoes were too late for the demand. Now the plants are ready six weeks to two months ahead of planting date, and he sells over 50,000 plants a year. He adds: "If the public demands the goods, be they right or wrong, we either supply or are forced out of business." In other words, tomato plants are for sale now because gardeners ask for them, not because it is time to plant.

Police Win Salary Boost

Victoria police department salary increases costing the city an additional \$1,650 per month, retroactive to Jan. 1, will be recommended to the City Council by the Victoria Police Commission, as a result of commission action Tuesday afternoon.

Individual monthly increases agreed to by the commission were: Probationers, \$6.28; third-class constables, \$13.90; second-class constables, \$20.79; first-class constables, detectives and sergeants, \$21. Some 83 policemen are affected.

"I feel your plea reasonably well-founded," Mayor Percy George, chairman, said to the police delegation.

"It's a step in the right direction when we can get along without conciliation boards," Commissioner J. E. Neely remarked. Const. J. W. Barlow was police spokesman at the meeting.

New Traffic Signal In Operation Today

A new traffic signal went into operation today at the corner of Pandora Avenue and Blanshard Street, it was announced by the city police traffic division.

It is a four-unit sidewalk installation.

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1950 INCOME TAX RETURNS

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Secrets Of Unexplored Depths Sought By Danes

COPENHAGEN (CP)—The Danish expedition investigating marine life in the world's oceans has already reported such a large amount of organic matter along the African West coast as to promise great possibilities for fishing in that area.

Radioactive substances are used in the study, yielding new and important information about the riches of the sea. The substances can be used to ascertain the amount of organic matter produced by underwater plants and with this information scientists are able to indicate whether large or small quantities of fish life can be maintained on the food available.

The deep-sea expedition aboard the naval frigate Galathea was organized by Haakon Mielche, Danish author, with the aid of leading Danish scientists including Prof. Niels Bohr, atomic specialist, and Dr. Anton Bruun of the Copenhagen Zoological Museum.

The Galathea stopped first at London on its projected two-year survey and in the first stages of its course reached Madagascar last month. Conditions in relation to maintenance of fish life will be examined everywhere on its route around the world.

The Galathea scientists also use photo-electric cells in study of the ocean depths. Light conditions deep in the sea are of vital importance for vegetation and thus have a great effect on the biology of marine animals.

They have caught fish that have eyes in depths down to 4,000 metres, although it had been established previously that even the most light-sensitive fish would not be able to see any daylight below 900 metres. The explanation is that many organisms in the greater depths are luminous. They have organs which by different methods, for instance with the help of bacteria, produce light, so that even where daylight does not penetrate the fish need eyes.

The expedition recently fished with a trawl-net at a depth of 5,300 metres, or more than three miles down, a depth that had never before been explored for marine life. In the particular spot where this experiment was made, however, the fauna was scanty.

The Galathea carries the world's longest "fishing line," a steel hawser of 45,000 feet, which will be used to lower a non-magnetic bronze sphere to measure the earth's magnetism. Its deepest tests will be carried out later east of the Philippines.

Army Tries To Make Life Pleasant At Lonely Base

FORT CHURCHILL, Man. (CP)—From the windows of this northern military camp you can see seals romping on the Hudson Bay ice in spring, or white whales coming up for air in summer.

Migrating caribou sometimes delay the landing of aircraft. Silver foxes have been seen to sniff at plane tires. And on occasion polar bears and wolves invade the camp site.

Bitter cold in winter, muskies, mosquitoes and biting flies in summer make outdoor life anything but pleasant. There's nowhere to go outside camp except the small community of Port Churchill five miles away.

"You get bushed here after a while," is a frequent complaint. But the army has done a lot to make off-duty life comfortable and entertaining. Millions of dollars have been spent on modern housing and recreational facilities.

Population of the camp, including civilian research staff and construction crews, ranges from 1,500 to 2,000. The armed services, learning how to live and fight in the Arctic, hold frequent tests of men and equipment.

There are about 160 families and they live in apartments of up to six rooms. Each contains a modern kitchen of the kind you see in the magazines. There are refrigerators, electric stoves, built-in cupboards.

There is no distinction between

officers and other ranks in the matter of quarters. Rents are scaled according to ability to pay. A married private for instance pays \$44 a month for his apartment, including utilities.

For recreation, there are sports activities, a library, canteens, coffee shops, a 64-seat theatre, bowling alley and commissary. The camp broadcasting station has regular programs of music, plays, news.

Seven units of the army's institute have a monthly turnover of \$100,000. Lt.-Col. N. N. Gemmell explained this includes a beer supply.

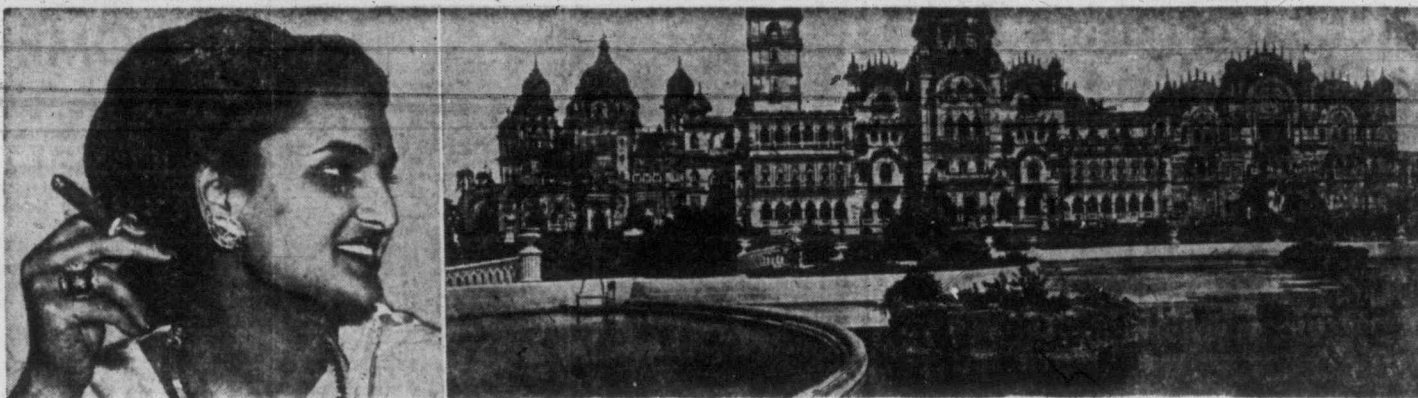
Prices in the coffee shop are on a par with those in Winnipeg, 640 air miles to the south, but married personnel find food prices high. Freight rates are to blame. It costs more to ship a sack of potatoes over the Hudson Bay Railway than the spuds cost in the first place.

Children in the camp community drink powdered milk, but adults use whole fresh milk.

"The children prefer powdered milk because they are used to it, and fresh milk doesn't always come through," explained Maj. C. R. H. Porteous. When available, the fresh variety sells for 30 cents a quart.

BIG THEATRE

The Blanka Theatre in Havana with 6,500 seats is said to have the largest seating capacity of any theatre in the world.



Gaekwar Of Baroda Dismissed By Nehru For Forming 'Princes' Union'

India's Prime Minister Nehru received cheers from Parliament recently when he announced dismissal of the Gaekwar of Baroda as ruler of the principality over which he and his family had ruled for generations. His pension of \$560,000 a year will be withheld and his title with

his palace, above, will go to his son, Prince Fate Sinha. The Gaekwar and his wife, left, have been noted as spending millions of dollars every year. The loss of the pension will not seriously affect their habits.

Wool Capitalist

DUNEDIN, N.Z. (CP)—Pushing a cheque for \$12 across the counter of bank a boy remarked: "That is for the wool from my

pet lamb—and I've still got the lamb."

During a summer season, an average oak tree evaporates 28,000 gallons of water.

Tank Assembly Line

LONDON (CP)—By assembly-line mass production methods, Britain's new 50-ton Centurion tank takes only four man-hours

per pound of its weight to produce.

There are approximately 100,000 sweat glands on the sole of the average foot.

LONGEST SPAN

Longest single bridge span in the world is the central span of the Golden Gate Bridge at San Francisco, 4,200 feet.

Duties Switched In Turnabout Class In Ontario

Parry Sound, Ont. (CP)—Transposition of the sexes is being carried out to a limited degree at the Parry Sound High School.

A series of "Turnabout" classes is making efficient housekeepers of the boys and dexterous mechanics of the girls. Boys are learning to swing a mean skillet and girls are taught how a lathe and pliers are used.

Boys are learning how to bake, make a good cup of coffee, sew and take over the washday chores if their future wives are ill or insist on a holiday. Girls are finding what makes a faucet leak and why an ironing cord burns out. They will be able to cope with minor household repairs in case the man of the house is unavailable or just sulking.

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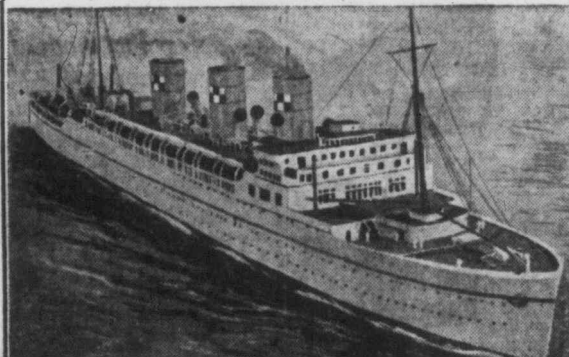
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VICTORIAN SPRING

by Cecil Maiden

LXII

The future was bright. Only yesterday a letter had come from Caroline Murray about the use of the theatre. Letty had brought the note with her now, in case she should meet Jervis at the races and could ask his opinion of the idea.

But there she was, dreaming again. She looked at Mrs. Langley, and catching her enthusiasm for the song, made herself, think only of it.

And presently they reached Victoria—with the gay-singing cracking into chatter and laughter again, as was more in keeping with the city.

Over James Bay bridge the wagon rattled, and out at length onto the sheltered headland, where it seemed that all the Colony was now converging.

All along the outer side of the low, white railing, the crowd was gathering—and not a few of them (of all ages, colors and kinds) were on the inside of it too.

Over to one corner, under the shelter of Beacon Hill itself, the bluejackets had erected an Aunt Sally, and already a knot of children, thickening every minute

with new arrivals, was centred on a Punch and Judy show—shrieking with merriment at the wild, abandoned antics of the little wooden figures in this tiny theatre atop its canvas pedestal.

Trevyan drove the wagon beside a grove of oak and maple trees, a pleasant spot, with some blackthorn out, and a dogwood tree in all its glory. He unharnessed the horses and secured them with ample room to move among the deep, sweet grasses beside a little stream. Then out came the picnic hamper, and with everyone's mouth watering, was finally opened in a warm and pleasant spot beneath the may-blossom.

Mr. Mortimer Dukes, sporting a grey topper and an old but magnificent flowered waistcoat, was, for the moment, alone again. The gentleman with whom he had come—the fiery little red-headed proprietor of the "Toby Jug"—was busily engaged behind the small, rough grandstand in an ominous argument with a tinker concerning the odds on Soldier Boy. Watching and listening to this argument some moments earlier, Mr. Dukes

had become aware that at any moment blows might be struck, and having been struck might engender a riot.

He had strolled languidly away, with his yellow gloves and his malacca swagger cane, to a less dangerous part of the race course. Such scenes were distasteful.

He came up beside the grandstand and saw that it was now full. In the centre he could make out Governor Douglas and the back of Her Excellency's ostrich-feathered bonnet as she turned round to greet a neighbor. The members of the Legislative Assembly were there too, with their wives and families. In all their gala-day glory. And the admiral was sitting up there with a group of his uniformed friends and a few of the officers' wives.

Mr. Dukes looked across the wall of faces in vain, at first, for Caroline Murray, then suddenly spotted her—and realized to his chagrin that she was very much more absorbed with the junior naval officers.

Yet even despite her entourage how beautiful she looked in that pale blue bonnet, and with all the white lace that—

Ah! They were starting at last! Away in its corner under the trees, the band of the Marines had abruptly ceased playing, and that could only mean one thing. The murmur of anticipation fell into silence as the bellman appeared on the course and vigorously rang the brass bell in his hand. Immediately he had ceased, the energetic figure of Victoria's mayor, on horseback, came briskly onto the turf, and as if brought to light among the crowd by this sudden evidence of authority, the police superintendent and a sprinkling of his constables made their presence known.

... how beautiful she looked in that pale blue bonnet, and with all the white lace that—

Clear the course there! Outside the railing, gentlemen—and ladies, please! The mayor's shouted order was taken up by the constables, and by some enthusiastic members of the crowd itself. And in no time at all, it seemed to Mr. Dukes, the broad green ribbon of the racetrack was clear of people.

(To Be Continued)



Local Firm Honored

P. E. Tergeson, centre, president of Tergeson Bros., accepts silver medalion and certificate from Roy A. Gunther, left, B. F. Goodrich Tire Co. official, marking 27 years' association with company. A. A. Frew, Vancouver district manager, right. Tergeson Bros. were one of first Goodrich distributors in Canada.

C.P. Probes Possibility Of French-Language News Wires

TORONTO (CP) — Herve Major, completing his first year as president of the Canadian Press, today told the cooperative's annual meeting he proposes to ask French-language member newspapers whether they wish C.P. service delivered to them in their own language.

C.P. news service covers the world—Canada, through the cooperative effort of its daily newspaper members; other countries through exchange agreements with allied agencies. In 1944, Mr. Major said, the C.P. board of directors had approved a proposal to serve French-language members in French. At that time the members had decided for the time being to continue accepting

service in English and do their own translating. Tuesday the board had given formal approval to the principle of serving present French-language members at regular cost.

Among eight transfers in membership involving appointment of seven new men were: Victoria Times, H. P. Hodges to J. Stuart Keate, and Vancouver Province, P. C. Galbraith to A. W. Moscapella.

A moving object will be detected by the lidless eyes of a snake even when the snake is asleep.

OPERATOR OF BOWLING ALLEY BOOKED GAMES, POLICE CHARGE

TORONTO (CP) — Now they're betting on bowling matches. Police raided a bowling alley Tuesday, arrested Donald Belvedere, 45, and charged him with keeping a common gaming house. They said he was making book on bowling games. Bowlers were not involved, police said.

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BARTLE LOST TO A'S; THOMPSON, DUNN HERE

Word that first baseman Dick Bartle will be lost to the Victoria Athletics for at least three weeks was received from Portland yesterday.

Bartle has undergone an operation for appendicitis. Hal Jackson, an alternate optioned from Portland, will be at first when the A's open their season at Spokane Friday. Jackson and catcher Milt Martin left Portland yesterday to join the Victoria team.

Meanwhile, Gene Thompson and Billy Dunn checked into business manager Reg Patterson's office at Athletic Park yesterday and Jim Hedgecock arrived at Vancouver.

All three members of the A's received permission from manager Dick Barrett to leave the club in order to secure housing accommodation for their families.

They will report back to the A's in Spokane, Thursday.

Views Of Sport

By RED SMITH

NEW YORK—If the Masters golf championship were played in Los Angeles instead of Augusta, Ga., there would be grounds for a suspicion that Mr. Cliff Roberts, who runs the show, had delegated his authority to Mr. David Golding, the press agent for 20th Century Fox. Not since Anna Held's lacteal bubble baths has there been a publicity stunt to match Ben Hogan's victory in the Masters just before the Roxy opening of the movie, "Follow The Sun."



Smith

This is the film story of Hogan's life and two things set it apart from the ordinary run of Hollywood make-believe. One is the preposterous implausibility of its plot; the other is the fact that the picture introduces a new star who is destined to illumine the celluloid firmament with an unearthly brilliance.

Spies within the industry report that the newcomer is bigger than Baby Leroy, Jackie Coogan and Freddie Bartholomew rolled into one. He is a youngster named Grantland Rice who plays the role of a sports writer named Grantland Rice presenting some trophy to Ben Hogan.

As to the plot, it is too fantastic to bear comment. It attempts to tell of a scrawny little guy who clawed his way to the top of a fiercely competitive profession in spite of grave physical handicaps, whose small body was shattered in an automobile smashup, who got up after what many believed to be his deathbed and came clawing back again to win the National Open. It is dream stuff like this which gives fiction a bad name.

A Golf Dump Is Tough

Assuming that some studio had the audacity to film such a tale and present it as fact, what further improbability could be conjured up for publicity purposes? Well, when the picture was ready for release you'd try to arrange for your leading character to go out and win the only major championship which had, in spite of his gift for the incredible, always eluded him.

Trouble is, though, you can't arrange things like that. Not even a Solazzo could put a golf tournament in the sack, because even if he persuaded 50 of the competitors to dump, he could not guarantee that the sixtieth would shoot four perfect rounds of 70-72-70-68 for a winning score of 280.

You could arrange for all the contenders to blow up on the last round, but you couldn't fix it so that when the last big threat evaporated, your guy would be coming to the eighth tee two under par. And even if you had it rigged that far, the rest would still be up to your guy. In order to win, he'd still have to shoot ten of the eleven remaining holes in perfect par and get a birdie on the other.

Naturally, you wouldn't try anything so unlikely as to have him get that essential birdie on the very next hole, the eighth. That would put him in position to win, though, if he played safe and flawlessly all the way home.

Not Even In The Movies

When you're dealing with a guy like Ben Hogan you never know when he's going to get bored with playing safe. After getting ahead of the field in the Masters, he aimed for the middle of the greens and putted cautiously until he reached the thirteenth. Then he went for it.

The thirteenth at the Augusta National Club is one of the grand holes in America. It is a 480-yard dogleg to the left, sloping rather steeply to the left where a creek meanders along at the edge of tangled woods. A man who tries to take the short route, shaving the corner, can get down in brook and brush and never be seen again.

Anyhow, that's where Hogan got bored with safe play and went for another birdie. And got it, so that now he was two strokes ahead of his field.

But even on the way in from there, he must have remembered other years at Augusta. Surely he has not forgotten the time when he stood on the eighteenth green with a putt to win all the money. And missed. And then putted for a tie. And missed.

Knowing that even as he trudged home with a two-stroke lead he'd have such memories as that nagging him, plucking on his nerves, you'd never believe that your publicity stunt would come off. Not even in the movies do such things happen.

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A's Loss Didn't Spoil Connie's Debut As Fan

PHILADELPHIA (AP)—The most-famous scorecard in baseball has been retired along with its owner.

Of course you've guessed we mean none other than Connie Mack without his storied scorecard.

The 88-year-old Mack, wrapped in a heavy overcoat and thick muffler, sat in 40-degree chill last night watching his beloved Philadelphia Athletics lose their 1951 opener to the Washington Senators 6 to 1.

It was the first time in 51 years that Connie himself was not managing the A's. The man whose name is synonymous with baseball huddled in a box three rows back of the team's dugout. On the field, one of Connie's prize proteges, Jimmy Dykes, did the master-minding.

You might think that deep down Connie would take it a bit hard, that being a mere fan could not hold a candle to being skipper. But he's honestly happy about it. He's a man with a big load off his shoulders, a man who can relax.

Before the game started, Mack was squirmed onto the field to receive a bronze bust of himself



New Faces For The Shamrocks?

Jim Ranson, Norm Baker, Roland Sammartino and Whitey Severson discuss the relative merits of lacrosse sticks. Of the four—all out for practice with the Shamrocks last night—only Baker has been signed. Ranson is making a strong bid for

a place on the team after a long layoff. Sammartino, grizzled veteran of interior lacrosse, is "just looking around." Severson, one of last year's top scorers in the Ontario League, is an almost certain starter any time he chooses to sign.

One Of 30 Rock Hopefuls, Trail's Sammartino 'Just Looking Around'

A stocky, crew-cut individual with a slightly self-conscious grin captured the interest of a small but enthusiastic crowd of railbirds who watched the knights-of-the-gutted-stick work out at the Memorial Arena last night.

Cynosure of all eyes was Roland Sammartino, one of the more illustrious of Trail's lacrosse-playing Sammartino family, who is "looking over" Victoria and, more particularly, the Victoria Shamrocks.

A comet-like junior in the days when Marcus Smith and Ralph Temple made Trail's Golden Bears a Mann Cup threat, Sammartino is now rated as a veteran

performer, seasoned as a one-time member of the North Shore Indians, a captain of army teams, and, in recent years, the main-spring of Okanagan senior and junior boxla.

NO COMMENT

Speculation of Sammartino's chances brought a cryptic "Well he's here; but we don't sign players, you know—they do the signing" from Rocks' coach, Arnold Ferguson.

Last night's spectators and well-wishers were given a comprehensive review of potential talent.

Upwards of 30 prospects took the floor for rink-circling runs,

push-ups and leg-stretchers supervised by "Dusty" Mair.

Looking on from the sidelines was big Norm Baker, now a certain starter. Norm expects to begin the season slowly. He must rest his leg injury, under doctor's orders, for another 10 days, which will give him just four days to get into shape before the opener. The big fellow hasn't been idle however. He claims to have lost 10 pounds with what he calls "typical stationary work-outs."

HOME BREWS

Working out with the Shamrocks were several junior and senior B league hopefuls. Among the more impressive home brews was slim Jim Ranson, who was out of lacrosse last year, but will stage a comeback this season. A shifty, heady player, Ranson was likened by one rinksider to Bob Monaghan "only smoother."

From May 2 through to the end of August, Wednesday night will be lacrosse night in Victoria. With the exception of Wednesday, May 9, the Shamrocks will see action here every Wednesday through the 16-week schedule, and will play one game a week on the road.

Flyers Repeat Over Citadelles

BARRIE, Ont. (CP)—Barrie's aggressive close-checking Flyers hold a two-game edge over Quebec Citadelles in their quest for the eastern Canada junior hockey crown and the right to meet the west in the Memorial Cup finals.

Flyers, given little chance against the highly-touted Quebec youngsters at the start of the series, last night chalked up their second straight victory before more than 4,000 home-town fans, whipping Citadelles 6 to 4. Barrie won the opening game of the best-of-seven series 6 to 2 Saturday.

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Detroit Goalie Has Operation

DETROIT (AP)—Goalie Terry Sawchuk of Detroit Red Wings of the National Hockey League underwent an operation here Tuesday for removal of a bone chip near the elbow of his right arm.

The Winnipeg-born Sawchuk underwent a similar operation a year ago in Toronto. At that time surgeons felt it necessary to leave some bone segments for future removal. Sawchuk injured the arm several years ago.

GIRLS' SOFTBALL

The annual meeting of the Victoria Girls' Softball League will be held at 1612 Quadra Street, Thursday night at 8. Representatives of last year's teams and any new teams are asked to be present.

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Leafs Take Lead In Stanley Cup Finals

Kennedy Hero In Third Overtime Tilt

MONTREAL (CP)—A brilliant overtime goal by centre Ted Kennedy last night gave Toronto Maple Leafs a 2 to 1 victory over Montreal Canadiens and shot the Leafs back into the commanding position in the Stanley Cup hockey final.

Kennedy's goal dramatically broke up the third game of the best-of-seven series and put his team in the lead, 2 to 1 on games.

It was the first game of the series played on Montreal ice. The teams divided the two games last week in Toronto.

Canadiens once more take over the underdog position, and must win Thursday's game here to keep up with the hustling Leafs.

It was the third overtime game by the closely matched teams. Maurice (Rocket) Richard, ace goal-getter of Canadiens, sent his team in front in the first period and Sid Smith tied it up for the Leafs in the second.

Canadiens thrilled the 14,433 home-town fans early in the overtime when Richard and Ken Mosdell came within a whisker of scoring.

Then at 4:47 of the extra session the Leafs struck swiftly and wrapped up the game. Smith intercepted a pass from Montreal's Calum MacKay inside the Canadian blue line and snapped a short pass to Kennedy. The Toronto captain, one of the Leafs' outstanding players in the series, took a couple of strides and let drive from just outside the face-off circle on goalie Gerry McNeil's left. The puck, traveling no more than two feet above the ice, caught the net with a swish.

Summary follows:
First Period: 1. Montreal, Richard (Oimstad), 2:18. Penalties: Sloan, Geoffrion, MacNeil.
Second Period: 3. Toronto, Smith (Bentley), 5:38. Penalties: MacPherson, Harvey, Geoffrion, Watson.
Third Period: No scoring. Penalty: Meeker (46-minute misconduct).
First Overtime Period: 2. Toronto, Kennedy (Sloan), 4:47. No penalties.

COUNCIL MEETING

The annual meeting of the Victoria Sports Council will be held in the British Public Schools Club tonight at 8.

Sports

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Senior Softballers Get Away April 29

Upper Central Park will resound again to the smack of hickory on horseshoe and the chatter of keyed-up fans on April 29 as the senior A softballers start their 1951 season with a doubleheader.

Bluebird Cabs and Chinese Students will meet in the opener, and B.C. Forest Products will be matched with Pitzer & Nex in the second game.

The inaugural will touch off a 60-game schedule, to be played Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday nights at upper Central.

A promise of better accommodation for spectators, at league expense, came yesterday, when senior A president James Lackie asked permission of the city parks board to construct bleachers to seat 1,500 people. In contrast to their earlier plan to ask the city council to erect the bleachers, the league executive has now undertaken to bear the full cost. A decision will be given at the next parks board meeting.

Although nothing definite has been made known, it is expected that this year's western Canada finals will be held in British Columbia and that the B.C. championship playoff series will be held in Victoria.

A suggestion has also been made that zone playoffs be canceled, permitting a longer league schedule.

Red's Service, 1950 Vancouver Island women's senior B Softball champions, will work out at Central Park tonight at 6.

Cyclist Fails To Better Mark

Alf Mathews failed to better his time of one hour, eight minutes and 25 seconds in winning the second of the 25-mile Victoria-Saanichton time trials held Sunday by the Victoria Cycling Club.

Mathews was 15 seconds slower than the previous week and was hard-pushed by junior Roland Chalmers, who narrowed the second-place margin by six seconds.

Norman Ord was third-place winner.

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IT'S MY VIEW

By BILL WALKER, Sports Editor.

Now that the hockey season is over, we have become acquainted with the widget once again but our renewed friendship appears to be on a lend-lease basis.

Naturally the panda, which is almost as big as the widget and which we brought back from Portland helped to soothe the situation occasioned by so many nights away from home, but apparently the widget had been well primed for our return.

We hadn't even stepped out of the family conveyance on Saturday, the first day after the hockey season ended, when we were met by "Edward" (that's the name given to the panda) and the widget and were asked if we were going to cut the lawn which by now obscured the tulips along the border.

The widget offered to help, which led to our first altercation. Making like Dorothy, after whom Edward was presumably named, the widget immediately shoved the rake into the lawn mower which added absolutely nothing to the ill-timed request for such manual labor.

"This won't last long," we muttered to ourselves. "Better we get down to Spokane and see what Dick Barrett really has in the 1951 Athletics."

"Pretty flowers," the widget said, as she ripped off the heads of several tulips which happened to attract her attention. Then a slight delay as the purpose of our parenthood was explained in respect to the garden.

Sunday it was just about the same, the widget assisting in some de-weeding which "probably" accounted for the phone call we received, "somebody at that number looking for a gardener?"

We'll See For Ourselves

Then came our geography lesson with the widget again lending a helping hand. Spokane, we found, is some 300 miles east of Seattle and Ferris Field, where the A's will open the season, was in 1937, one of the best, lighted parks for night baseball in the United States.

Twelve years later in 1949, the year of our last extended visit to the hub of the inland empire, those same lights were still in use. If memory serves us correctly the field in certain places was about as dark as Babe Pratt's face following the Royals' series loss to the Cougars.

Of course, things may have changed since then. At least it is to be hoped they have, as a test at that time revealed that in several positions on the field the standard of lighting wouldn't even pass Class D standards.

As for the Athletics, we know about as much about the club as most fans do, except that we have the assurance from business manager Reg Patterson and manager Dick Barrett that the club has "possibilities."

Just how these possibilities develop remain to be seen, but apparently Victoria fandom is willing to have a look see. At least the first day's ticket sales were encouraging.

If Your Doorbell Rings, Answer It

Then there are the kids. We bumped into 'em at the ball park Monday. There were hundreds of 'em.

"What's the gimmick?" we asked Patterson. "Why all the kids?"

"Just an idea I've got to boost sales," Pat replied. "I call 'em my 'booster club.'"

"Booster club," we echoed. "Looks like high school kids to us."

"That's right," beamed Pat. "I call 'em my booster club 'cause they're going to boost sales for the A's."

"Okay, give with the pitch," we said, which was all Pat was waiting for.

"I've got it all figured out," Pat answered. "It's this way. These kids are going to sell tickets to the A's home games. And they're going to get passes for selling the tickets. Each kid gets five books of six tickets, worth five bucks a book."

"When they have sold their allotment, and turned in the money (that's very important to us) they will receive a pass good for all games at Athletic Park. I figure it this way. It shouldn't be so hard for the kids to peddle these tickets. First of all they can hook the old man-for one book, leaving four to sell. And surely they have some other relatives who are interested, especially when the kids get a PASS for the season."

Making New Baseball Fans

By this time the line stretched from Patterson's office two deep to Caledonia Avenue with more youngsters on their way.

"Must be at least 200 here," we offered as an opinion.

"Oh, that's nothing," said Pat. "The Central Junior High School students haven't arrived yet. This bunch is from Vic High."

Retiring to the back room and our abacus we were astounded at the result.

Pat had hit upon a gold mine and all he was giving away was free passes. And by giving passes to the kids he was making more baseball fans for the Athletics, not to mention being assured of at least a fair representation of the populace at Athletics' home games in case something should go wrong with the club between now and August.

At any rate the A's go on show at Spokane Friday and judging from the grapefruit league reports, Barrett will be banking heavily on his pitching staff.

Let's hope we haven't any of the Jake Mootys who wormed their way into Patterson's confidence last year on this year's club.

Racing Results

Results of horse racing at Bay Meadows Tuesday follow:

First Race—			
Don (Zufelt)	\$27.10	\$15.10	\$8.80
Noble Jester (York)	12.20	8.30	
Barack Pore (Chojnicki)			7.20
Time, 1:12 2-4.			
Second Race—			
Laurinda (Nevs)	\$12.80	\$4.00	\$3.00
Barall (Moreno)		3.30	2.70
Racing News (York)			4.40
Time, 1:12.			
Third Race—			
Ace Rose (Lewis)	\$15.30	\$9.50	\$5.70
Edith Way (Longden)		7.90	5.30
Chalon (Chojnicki)			4.80
Time, 1:01 1-3.			
Fourth Race—			
Jiffy Girl (Bailey)	\$43.30	\$10.10	\$5.00
Sea Scholar (Brooks)		3.00	2.40
English Lady (Nevs)			3.40
Time, 1:39 2-4.			
Fifth Race—			
Overy Snooker (Longden)	\$2.80	\$2.50	\$2.30
Top Turret (Brooks)		2.90	2.20
General E. (York)			2.90
Time, 1:10 2-3.			
Sixth Race—			
Top Royal (Anderson)	\$9.10	\$6.00	\$3.90
Chaldera (York)		25.80	8.90
Great Delight (Brooks)			3.50
Time, 1:10 2-3.			
Seventh Race—			
Brinkbrook (Longden)	\$4.80	\$2.50	\$2.50
Prince Abner (Brooks)		3.70	2.50
Post War Valor (Westrope)			2.50
Time, 1:10 2-4.			
Eighth Race—			
Annie In (Pearson)	\$10.70	\$7.50	\$4.90
Strebor (Brooks)		8.10	4.90
King Count (Baileski)			3.40

Barons Lead Hornets

PITTSBURGH (AP) — Cleveland's Barons nipped Pittsburgh Hornets 3 to 1 to gain a one-game edge in the American Hockey League Calder Cup finals.

The Barons now lead 3 to 2 in the best-of-seven games series. They need only one more victory to clinch their fifth A.H.L. title.

Yanks' Vic Raschi Throttles Red Sox

Is this going to be another bridesmaid year for Boston's perennial left-at-the-altar Red Sox?

Vic Raschi's 5 to 0 handcuffing of the Red Sox sluggers for New York Yankees yesterday smacks too much of "The Same Old Red Sox" of the last four years.

Watching Boston being throttled with six singles made it almost impossible to visualize them as the same pulverizing team that was picked by most of the experts this year to win the American League pennant.

Cold weather held the inaugural crowds to a disappointing 171,678 fans at the eight parks. Last year the eight openers drew 252,000 fans.

Philadelphia's defending champion Phils downed Brooklyn Dodgers 5 to 2 at Ebbets Field. Robin Roberts, whose final-day triumph over the Brooks last year gave the Phils their first flag in 35 years, again thwarted the Dodgers.

TWO-HITTER

Bob Lemon, king of the 1950 pitchers, threw a two-hitter to pitch Cleveland Indians to a 2 to 1 triumph over Detroit.

Murry Dickson pitched and batted the Pirates to a 5 to 4 victory over St. Louis Cardinals. The little righthander walloped his first major league home run and contributed a single to achieve his ninth victory in two seasons plus over his former mates.

Chicago Cubs shelled Ken Rattenberger, their pitcher, off the mound in three innings to whip Cincinnati Reds 8 to 3. Dee Fondy, a rookie first-baseman, drove in four runs with a triple and two singles. Andy Pafko chipped in with a home, triple and single.

JENSEN STARS

The biggest crowd of the day—44,860 Yankee Stadium fans—saw Jackie Jensen steal the show from Mickey Mantle, the publicized rookie flash. Jensen, former California football star, smashed a two-run homer to account for the first two runs.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	R	H	E
Philadelphia	5	9	2
Brooklyn	2	9	2
Roberts and Seminick; Erskine, Kintz			
(4) in Campagna			
Cincinnati	3	12	5
Rattenberger, Evers (4), Krauss (7), Smith (4) and Prames; Miller and Walker			
New York	4	9	3
Boston	2	7	1
Jansen and Westrum; Rickford, Donnelly (4) and St. Claire			
Pittsburgh	4	9	0
Pelkey, Niekirk (7), Wilk (4) and Garaciola; D. Rice; Dickson, Werle (7) and McCullough			

AMERICAN LEAGUE

	R	H	E
Boston	0	6	1
New York	5	7	1
Wright, Kinder (4), McDermott (7) and Roar; Raschi and Berra			
Cleveland	2	8	0
Detroit	1	2	0
Lemon and Hegan; Newhouse and Glusker			
Chicago	17	19	2
St. Louis	2	10	0
Pierce and Mast; Garver, Kennedy (2), Medlinger (7), Schacht (7), Johnson (4) and Lollar			
Washington	4	9	1
Philadelphia	1	7	1
Marrero and Grasso; Shantz, Martin (5), Harris (4) and Tipton			

ROADSTER MEETING

The Vancouver Island Track Roadster Association will hold its monthly meeting in the Williams Building, Thursday at 8. Motion pictures will be shown.

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Retriever Trials This Week-end

International retriever trials will attract many dog lovers to Parksville Saturday and Sunday. A. E. Jolivet of Victoria won last year's island stake with Oakwood Jack, his black Labrador. Island stakes and shooting dog stakes will be held on Saturday, open stake on Sunday. Judges are Hector Grant of Vancouver, Al Schmidt of Portland and Hugh Bottrell of Victoria.

B.C. BOXING TOURNEY

Wayne Robertson May Draw U.S. Champion

Victoria interest in the provincial Golden Gloves amateur boxing tournament, being held at Vancouver Friday and Saturday, was heightened today with the news that Len Walters, newly crowned American featherweight king, will be entered in the same class as Vancouver Island Golden Boy Wayne Robertson.

The slim, 19-year-old Vancouver fighter, who won the U.S. title in Boston, last week, will have plenty of opposition in his own backyard this week-end, and Robertson is favored to give him a real battle.

A further entry in the provincial Golden Gloves amateur boxing tournament was made by St. Louis College today after the announcement by B.C. Boxing Association secretary Harry Bloor that a new class was being added.

Bob Thompson, one of the College's best boys in the lighter weights, will go to Vancouver to enter the new 100-pound class.

COUGARS PLAY TO NEARLY QUARTER-MILLION FANS.

A total of nearly a quarter of a million people watched the Victoria Cougars in action during the season just ended. League attendance figures, released yesterday, show the combined home and away attendance at Cougar games totalled 223,551, the largest combined total of any team in the P.C.H.L.

Vancouver with 217,283, and New Westminster with 212,904 were the only teams to come close to the Cougar total. The three American clubs each drew 60,000 fewer people.

In contrast to the record home attendance of 137,019, the Victoria club drew the smallest crowds away from home, 86,532, but capital city enthusiasm for hockey contributed heavily to the away-from-home drawing power of other teams in the league.

MACARTHUR HALTS GAME

Padres Gain On Bevos; Rainiers Bow To Sacs

Part of the Pacific Coast Baseball League made way for General MacArthur Tuesday night.

The Oakland-Los Angeles game was postponed because of the general's arrival in San Francisco.

TIME OUT! By Jeff Keate



The teams will play a double-header tonight.

Elsewhere, activity continued with Lefty O'Doul's rejuvenated San Francisco Seals dominating the show with a 10 to 6 victory over Hollywood Stars.

Hollywood used four pitchers trying to halt the Frisco outfit. Frank Keliher socked a homer for the Stars in the ninth with one on.

Bob Gillespie limited Seattle to seven hits as he pitched Sacramento to a 6 to 2 win in the opener of their series.

San Diego came from behind with a four-run rally in the eighth inning to defeat Portland 9 to 6. The victory left the Padres two games behind the league-leading Beavers.

Short scores follow:

	R	H	E
Portland	6	10	9
San Diego	5	9	1
Lynn, Ward (7), Creel (4), Albert (4), Mulvren (4) and Salsed; Embree, Spille (4), Jurisch (3), Weimaker (3) and Kerr. San Francisco			
Hollywood	6	12	9
Hood and Ortiz; Salveon, Karpel (3), Carlsen (4), Anthony (3) and Sandock. Seattle			
Sacramento	2	7	2
Guldborg, Soriano (4), Nagy (4) and Montalvo; Gillespie and Smith.			

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Solemn Rites At Laying Of Stone

Rt. Rev. Harold E. Sexton, Bishop of British Columbia, left, officiated Tuesday afternoon at laying of cornerstone for new St. John's Memorial Parish Hall, Balmoral Road. At his left is Canon George Biddle, St. John's Church. The hall, modern in design, will cost \$75,000.

Youthful Actors Draw Praise Of Adjudicator

EUGENE MAURICE JOHNSON

Eleventh annual Greater Victoria School Drama Festival continued at Mount View High School Tuesday night.

"The Old Lady Shows Her Medals" By J. M. Barrie

Presented by Mount View High School

Cast: Mrs. Dowey — Amy Baudrevick Mrs. Tynley — Ruth Trowell Mrs. Middleton — Thelma Stephenson Mrs. Haggerty — Kay Ballantyne Mr. K. Dowey — David Gredes Mr. Williams — William O'Brien Director — Mr. C. G. Thompson

Adjudicator Mrs. Phoebe Smith felt the cast had real feeling for the spirit of Barrie's play. There was a definite attempt to catch the author's whimsy. She praised David Geddes in his role as Pte. Dowey, and said the settings and costumes were adequate.

"The King's Warrant" By Ronald Gow

Presented by Mount View High School

Cast: The Pedlar — Robin Kitching The Host — Fred Ives The Sheriff — Melvin Smith The Stranger — Garth Taylor Little John — Frank Russell Robin Hood Men — Norman Russell, Peter Wood, Wayne Halstrom Director — Miss E. Pigott

Mrs. Smith praised the actors for their fast action and quick cues. She said that good stage business had been maintained.

The adjudicator made particular mention of Robin Kitching. His phrasing was good, his stage deportment sincere. She felt that Fred Ives had a natural sense of timing, that Melvin Smith and Garth Taylor were well chosen and in excellent character.

"Elizabeth Refuses" By Margaret Macnamara

Presented by Mount View High School

Cast: Elizabeth Bennett — Dinah Kerr Jane Bennett — Barbara Whitley Mrs. Bennett — Vivian Roberts Mr. Collins — Garth Taylor Lady Catherine de Burgh — Diana Wilson Director — Miss E. Pigott

The adjudicator indicated this to be a good choice of play. She pointed out that an excellent set had been created with few properties. She felt the cos-

tumes were delightful and in period, and that the cast moved and walked well.

Mrs. Smith praised Dinah Kerr for her work which showed good co-operation. She said that Garth Taylor played a difficult role well and that Diana Wilson was completely convincing and sincere, making good use of her entrances and exits.

Pope Chooses Tomb

VATICAN CITY (Reuters) —

The Pope has chosen the place where he wants to be buried. Vatican sources said Tuesday the 75-year-old Pontiff chose the site last June 5 when he opened the crypts under St. Peter's Basilica and consecrated a new altar over the tomb of St. Peter.

Pats Platoon In Close Combat Captures Position

Fight Way Through Rain Of Grenades To Aid Middlesex Regt.; Kill 12 Of Enemy

WEST CENTRAL SECTOR, Korea (CP) — At least 12 Chinese were killed and more wounded late Saturday when a platoon of Patricias led by Lieut. Michael George Levy of Vancouver mixed it up with the enemy atop a ridge about six miles north of the 38th Parallel.

(This action was reported Sunday but the dispatch was delayed by the censor.)

A company under Maj. Bob Swinton of Vancouver tangled with the enemy at dusk after a long afternoon climb up a 600-foot rock face through a spring mist thickened with smoke from Canadian gunfire.

The Patricias were assigned earlier in the day to help the Middlesex Regiment take a position which had been holding up the front for almost two days.

Companies led by Swinton and Maj. Jack George of Edmonton advanced unopposed until right among the enemy positions.

There the fog and smoke cleared to reveal Levy's men in a relatively lightly held area, although stronger than the opposition the Patricias have been meeting lately.

The Communists let loose with a rain of grenades—a defensive type resembling the Canadians' Mills grenade and not like the stick variety that causes concussion on which the Chinese have been relying lately. The kind Levy's men got were made with

good steel with high fragmentation effect. Still, casualties were light.

Levy jumped into the fray with pistol and grenade, his men right behind him. After a spirited exchange, the Chinese decamped and the position was secure in Canadian hands by nightfall.

Meanwhile in the battalion's perimeter a "civilian" in blue coat and white trousers was the object of a flushing operation by "constant force" from a platoon under Lieut. Rick Constant of Calgary.

The man popped up from behind a cluster of rocks to heave an object at a Canadian cutting wood. The Canadian caught it with his left hand just as the object—believed to be a grenade—exploded. The search was fruitless but it resulted in a further increase of front-line security against fifth columnists in the sector.

Hit British Ship

HONG KONG (AP) — Chinese Communist shore batteries

shelled the British blockade runner Jade Leaf, it was disclosed Tuesday. No serious damage to the ship or injury to personnel was reported.

An officer of the 250-ton British coaster, which returned to Hong Kong Saturday, said the incident occurred April 10. He said the Jade Leaf was plying the Chinacoast when rough weather forced her to anchor off Namoa Island near Swatow, where anchoring apparently is prohibited.

The Reds then let loose a barrage of shore artillery. One shell struck the ship on the port side.

U.B.C. TO BOOST FEES BY \$30

VANCOUVER (CP) — University of B.C. has bowed to a two-way squeeze. It will increase student fees \$30 a year starting in September.

The increase will apply to all faculties except medicine. Higher operating costs, coupled with decreases in revenue, were blamed.

Strange Nightmares

TREALAW, Glamorgan, Wales (CP) — A miner who was bound over for 12 months on house-breaking charges told the court he turned to theft because repeated nightmares about death made him afraid to go to work.

Giant's Dessert

GALMPTON, Devon, Eng. (CP) — A gooseberry pie, more than four feet long and 15 inches wide, was drawn through this village on a wagon. The occasion was the revival of a 300-year-old pie fest.

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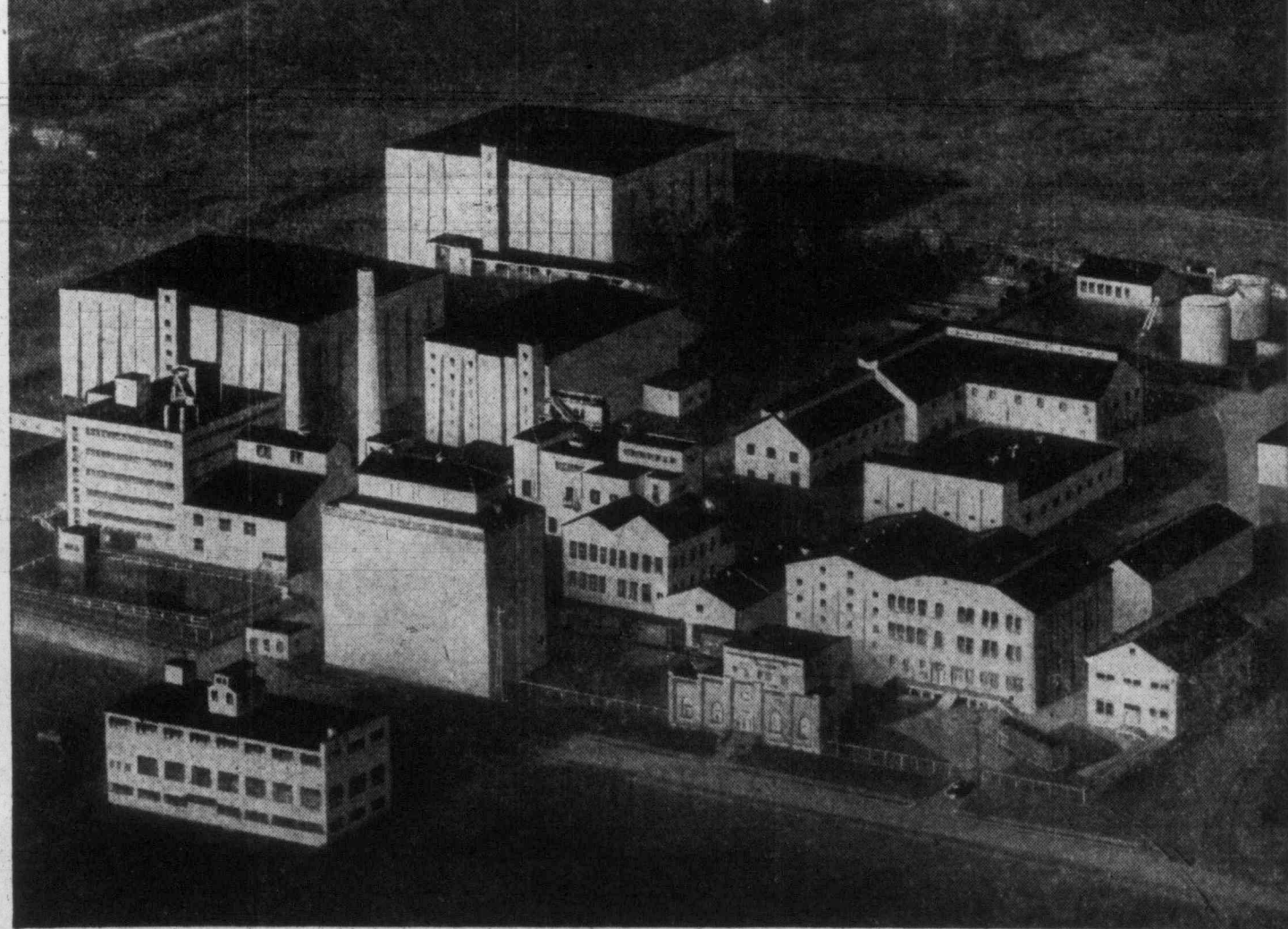
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★ IN HOLLYWOOD ★

Lisa Ferraday's Getting Set To Be A Star As Is A Star

By ERSKINE JOHNSON

HOLLYWOOD (NEA)—People have been yawning too long over dull, conservative movie stars. But I've found just the doll to put rootin' tootin' explosive color back into the celluloid whirl.

She's a dark-haired glamorous goulash from Hungary named Lisa Ferraday, who says she's ready to cut loose the minute they tack a star on her dressing room door. That should happen any day now.

And when it happens Lisa says she'll be ready to lead a tiger down Hollywood boulevard, trim her panties with mink, dive into backyard swimming pools in her new Dior gown and bathe in whipped cream.

All Lisa asks is that the flash-



bulb boys are around to record her didoes.

Publicity?

Lisa wouldn't go to all that trouble just to get her name in the papers. Oh, no.

She'll be doing it, she says, to give the public laughs.

Lisa, who's got the burning eyes since Theda Bara, explains: "I'm going to do it the way of Gloria Swanson and Pola Negri. I'll be a real circus. White horses, bearskin rugs, the whole works. I want to amuse people. Life's drab enough. I want to put some color into it."

Ice to a value of \$300,000.000 is sold annually in the United States, mostly manufactured by freezing water in ice plants.

HOLLYWOOD REVIEW

Dick Powell, June Allyson Help Form Adoption Agency

By BOB THOMAS

HOLLYWOOD (AP)—Dick Powell today gave the background on why he, his wife, June Allyson, and 30 others are forming an agency for the adoption of children.

"This is not a Hollywood organization," the actor explained. "As a matter of fact, June and I are the only ones in it from the picture business. Most of the others are doctors, lawyers and people from ordinary walks of life."

"The organization grew out of another group we belong to—the Adopted Children's Association. That's a group of parents of adopted children. They meet for picnics and also have done a great deal of good in improving California's adoption laws."

"Some of us felt there was a great need for another agency to take care of the tremendous demand for adopted children. So we started drawing up the organization."

The actor, completing plans for the group while working in "One Never Knows," said the state welcomes such agencies.

"There aren't enough of them," he said. "Too many adoptions are done privately, through doctors and lawyers. A lot of those are not successful, because there is no attempt to fit the child to the new parents."

Powell expects the organization to be licensed in a week or so. It will be called the Adoption Home of California and will be non-religious and non-profit—"in fact, it will cost us."

The earthworms which aerate the soil and improve it are killed off when farmland is flooded by sea water.

MOVIE CALENDAR

(As Advertised and Starting Times)

ATLAS—"I'll Get By" at 2.48, 6.10, 9.37, plus "American Guerrilla."

CAPITOL—Van Johnson, Kathryn Grayson in "Grounds for Marriage," at 1.33, 3.32, 5.21, 7.30, 9.29.

DOMINION—David Niven in "Bonnie Prince Charlie," at 1.00, 3.08, 5.16, 7.24, 9.37.

FOX—"Al About Eve," with Bette Davis, Ann Baxter. Doors 6.10.

OAK BAY—Trevor Howard in "Golden Salamander." Doors 6.30.

ODEON—Richard Widmark in "Halls of Montezuma," at 1.00, 3.00, 5.00, 7.07, 9.22.

PLAZA—Larry Parks in "Emergency Wedding," plus "Boys in Brown."

ROYAL—Judy Holliday stars in "Born Yesterday," at 1.14, 3.15, 5.16, 7.17, 9.23.

BRIDGE LESSON

by Oswald Jacoby

A team game often separates the sheep from the foxes, and the recent Eastern States tournament was no exception. When today's hand was played, the bidding and the opening lead were identical in both rooms, but the similarity ended at the second trick.

In the first room East overtook the queen of spades with his king, continued with the ace of spades, and then led the jack of spades. It was obvious to South that West would not be able to follow suit.

South therefore had to ruff high enough to shut West out. He couldn't tell that any trump in his hand would be big enough for the task, but he could afford to ruff with the eight of hearts. This naturally held the trick.

It was now clear to declarer that the queen of hearts was in the East hand. He therefore led a diamond to dummy's ace and returned the jack of hearts for a trump finesse. The finesse succeeded, of course, and declarer therefore lost no trump trick. He eventually lost a club trick, but fulfilled his contract.

In the second room East over-

NORTH		18
♠ 5 4 3 2		
♥ J 10 9 8		
♦ A 9		
♣ J 10 9		
WEST		EAST
♠ Q 9		♠ A K J 7 6
♥ 2		♥ Q 7 5
♦ 8 7 6 4 3		♦ Q J 5
♣ 8 7 6 4 2		♣ K Q
SOUTH (D)		
♠ 10 8		
♥ A K 8 4 3		
♦ K 10 2		
♣ A 5 3		
N-S vul.		
South	West	North
1 ♠	Pass	2 ♠
3 ♠	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass
Opening lead—♠ Q		

took the opening lead with his king of spades, but then abandoned the suit. He realized what would happen if he continued the suit. South would undoubtedly ruff high and then finesse through the queen of hearts. Instead of giving away the trump situation, East shifted at once to the queen of clubs.

South won at once with the ace of clubs, fearing that East had led a singleton queen. He had no information about the location of the queen of hearts and (perhaps unwisely) tried to drop it instead of finessing. When the queen of hearts failed to drop under the ace or king, declarer was set. He was bound to lose three tricks in the black suits and had managed to miss-guess the trumps.

CARD SENSE

Q.—With both sides vulnerable your partner deals and bids one no-trump. The next player doubles. You hold: Spades J, 3; Hearts K, 4, 2; Diamonds Q, 9, 7, 4; Clubs K, 8, 5, 2. What do you do?

A.—Pass (without fear). Your side should have more than half of the strength in the deck, and your partner should make one no-trump if the double is passed. If the opponents bid, they may get into trouble.

TODAY'S QUESTION

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Dear Dog Lady Free

RIVERSIDE, Calif. (UP)—Helen Arlington, author of "Paw Prints On My Heart," was granted an annulment on her contention she never lived with her husband as man and wife.

The famed writer of dog stories, who called herself "The dear dog lady" and her husband "Mr. dear dog lady," was granted the decree Tuesday by Superior Judge John Gabbert.



'Grounds For Marriage' At Capitol

Kathryn Grayson and Van Johnson play the leading roles in M-G-M's bright musical comedy, "Grounds for Marriage." The movie now is showing at the Capitol.

HORIZONTAL	
1. Depicted	11. Musical instrument
2. Dance step	12. Weight measure
3. Weight measure	13. Breathing
4. Keel	14. Keel
5. Clothing	15. Clothing
6. Clothing (symbol)	16. Clothing (symbol)
7. Takes offense	17. Takes offense
8. From the beginning (adj.)	18. From the beginning (adj.)
9. New Latin (adj.)	19. New Latin (adj.)
10. Exclamation of surprise	20. Exclamation of surprise
11. Two (Latin)	21. Two (Latin)
12. Otherwise	22. Otherwise
13. Enthusiasm	23. Enthusiasm
14. Give forth	24. Give forth
15. Measure of type	25. Measure of type
16. Greek letter	26. Greek letter
17. Steel	27. Steel
18. From this place	28. From this place
19. Seed vessel	29. Seed vessel
20. African antelope	21. African antelope
21. Vegetable	22. Vegetable
22. Come in	23. Come in
23. Compass point	24. Compass point
24. Superlative suffix	25. Superlative suffix
25. Leap	26. Leap
26. Roman bronze	27. Roman bronze
27. Rock	28. Rock
28. Old stone tool	29. Old stone tool
29. Also	30. Also
30. Greek city	31. Greek city
31. Belonging to me	32. Belonging to me
32. Baking chamber	33. Baking chamber
33. Bird's home	34. Bird's home
34. French city	35. French city
35. Attack	36. Attack
36. Features seldom have	37. Features seldom have
37. Toothed bars	38. Toothed bars
38. Cheats	39. Cheats
39. Knotty	40. Knotty
40. Bulbous plant	41. Bulbous plant
41. Appear	42. Appear
42. Citrus fruits	43. Citrus fruits
43. Except	44. Except

VERTICAL	
1. Rock	11. Musical instrument
2. Old stone tool	12. Weight measure
3. Also	13. Breathing
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The stage for the orchestra will be moved to another position in order to improve the sound.

Acoustic tests for the concert were carried out by John Wade, architect.

"We are doing everything to make sure that everyone attending will hear the concert properly," conductor Hans Gruber said.

Mr. Gruber said following acoustic tests the sound was good in all seats.

Everyone will be able to see the orchestra and guest artists.



Job Offers

Swamp Man Who Burned Effigy

PONCA CITY, Okla. (UP)—Harry L. Thompson, fired from his job for burning President Truman in effigy, Monday had a choice of jobs in cities from Indianapolis to Portland, Ore.

Thompson, 30, was fired by the Oklahoma Public Expenditures Council, a non-partisan organization which conducts surveys on taxes and public spending, after he burned an effigy labeled "Truman-Acheson" to protest the ouster of Gen. Douglas MacArthur.

The Portland offer included airline tickets for a west coast interview and he plans to leave Tuesday for it.

Thompson, a war veteran, also said his son, "Snuffy," will continue to receive treatments for spastic paralysis. When he was fired, Thompson feared the treatments might have to be postponed.

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Use Resources Against Aggression In New Plan

OTTAWA (CP) — Canada is expounding a four-point, keep-your-eye-on-the-ball policy as a guide for the free world in case the Communists spring any more "secondary aggressions" similar to Korea.

The view has been enunciated twice recently by External Affairs Minister Pearson, once in a speech, once in the annual report of his department on Canada and the United Nations.

The gist of it is this: The free nations still aren't strong enough, tough enough to be able to stamp out every aggression that may occur. They should govern themselves accordingly. They should "conserve" their limited resources in order to be able to apply them where they are most needed.

And the main front for the free world, Mr. Pearson says, still is Western Europe.

In his address to the Ontario section of the Canadian Bar Association, the minister described the world as being "shared between two great super-states around which most of the rest of us gather in varying degrees of confidence or uneasiness."

Now that the Communist sphere had shown it is prepared to risk general war, the dilemma of how far the United Nations could and should go in enforcing collective security by military action in a two-power world had become acute. It first became acute when China invaded Korea and the dilemma still remained squarely before the democracies.

BIG PROBLEM
"We are still faced now more than ever with the question whether the United Nations

Parked Car Keeps Man In Manhole

BIRMINGHAM, Ala. (UP) — Staff Sgt. John P. Murray, a marine corps recruiter, and his wife were watching a night club floor show when the master of ceremonies interrupted to ask that he go outside and move his car.

"An automobile bearing a marine corps recruiting tag is parked over an open manhole outside," the emcee said.

Murray bolted for the door when the announcer added: "The repairman would like to come up and go home."

try to take military enforcement measures against a secondary aggressor when that action might either dissipate our strength in the face of the main aggressor or lead to a new world war in which our strength would be so dissipated," said Mr. Pearson.

"What should we do if the potential aggressor should exploit the provisions of the United Nations Charter for the maintenance of peace everywhere in order to weaken us so that one day the peace cannot be maintained anywhere?"

Mr. Pearson went on to suggest that "the outlines of a way out of this dilemma are beginning to emerge." They would require the acceptance of four main principles:

1. In every situation, our obligation under the charter to do whatever we can to maintain the principle of collective security should be discharged. We must recognize unprovoked aggression, whether committed by great or small powers, for what it is, and take appropriate action. This action may have to vary, however, according to circumstances.

IMPARTIAL EVIDENCE
2. We should never formally condemn an aggressor until the fact of his aggression is clearly proven by impartial evidence, and until the mediator and conciliatory function of U.N. have been exhausted.

3. Condemnation of aggression does not mean that in every case economic and military sanctions must follow. The enforcement action to be taken against an aggressor must be related to the practicability of such action; to the general strategic and political situation, and to the possibility of such enforcement action weakening the peaceful and law-abiding powers in other areas, thereby tempting another and a far more serious threat to the peace.

4. We should recognize our limitations in this way, even when condemnatory action has to be taken. There is nothing immoral, however, when passing resolutions at the United Nations condemning aggressors, to give the impression that they will be followed by strong and effective economic and military action, when we know that, in fact, such action will not or cannot be taken.



Red Indian Firepower

In sharp contrast to the tomahawks of old, today's airborne Red Indians of the R.C.A.F. use 20-mm. cannon in Vampire jets. Training in the United Kingdom with squadrons of the R.A.F., 421 Squadron makes extensive use of live ammunition in various phases of its operational training, to simulate actual wartime manoeuvres. Typical of the unsung heroes of a fighter squadron, the ground crew, Cpl. Don Galbraith of Timmins, an armament technician with the squadron, displays a happy smile as he proceeds to load the Hispano cannon in one of the squadron's Vamps, with a belt of 20-mm. shells draped over his shoulders. — (National Defence Photo)

Mainland Cells Cozy Rooms For Juveniles

VANCOUVER (CP) — The last prison bars in Vancouver's juvenile detention home are due to the scrap heap when workmen convert the last two cells to cosy, chintz-curtained bedrooms.

The change in appearance reflects the change in the attitude toward juvenile detention.

Assistant superintendent, Joe Keys puts it this way:

"You take a badly-scared kid who has just been grilted by the police and throw him into a bare room filled with unsupervised young toughs and he'll do anything he can to get back at society by making life tough for you."

"But put him in a well-furnished, bright recreation room with plenty to do and he'll think twice before he carves his name on the wall."

Kiwanians in suburban Kerrisdals put 11 months of hard work and \$1,500 into the project and found it paid off in scores of young lives filled again with hope.

Diamond Wedding

PETERBOROUGH, Ont. (CP) — Young lovers should be sure they're suitably matched before they tie the knot, said Mr. and Mrs. George Taylor while holding open house on their diamond wedding anniversary. "They want to be sure to make the right choice like I did," said Mrs. Taylor.

PATRON SAINT

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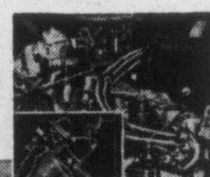
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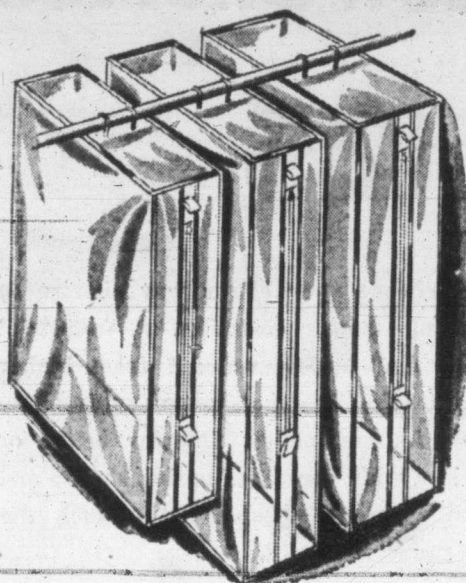
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Special **2¹⁹**

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Clear Plastic 42" Suit Length Garment Bags!

57 inches long. Holds 8 garments. Full length zipper closing. Blue, rose and green trim. Special, each **1.89**

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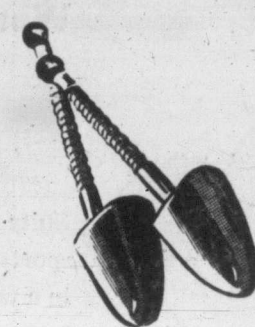
Keeps six suits clean and neat longer. Clear plastic with colored trim **1.79**

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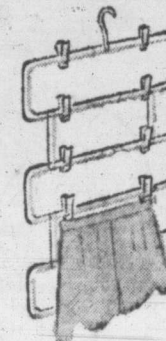
Adjustable, Banded "Galya" Turban Net

For motoring, shopping, sportswear or for around the house. Nets fit neatly with a knitted band. White, blue, green, pink, red, maize, black. Each **49c**



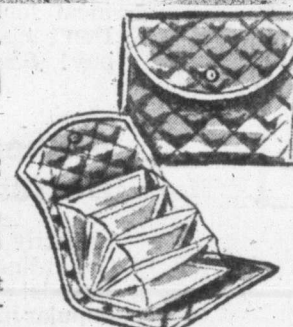
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Keep your shoes looking better longer. Sizes for both men and women. Flexible shank holds shoes firmly in shape. Pair **1.49**



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Keep your clothes closet tidy! Each rack holds 6 skirts on one hanger. Sturdy uni-chrome finish **98c**



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42-inch extra fine quality tubing. Washes easily, wears like iron. Made to rigid specifications, tested and approved. Here's your chance to save. Yard **\$1**

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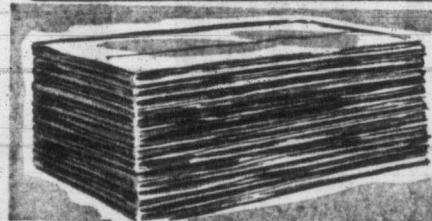
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52x52-inch size, regular 3.95, in white with rose, blue or green border **1.97**

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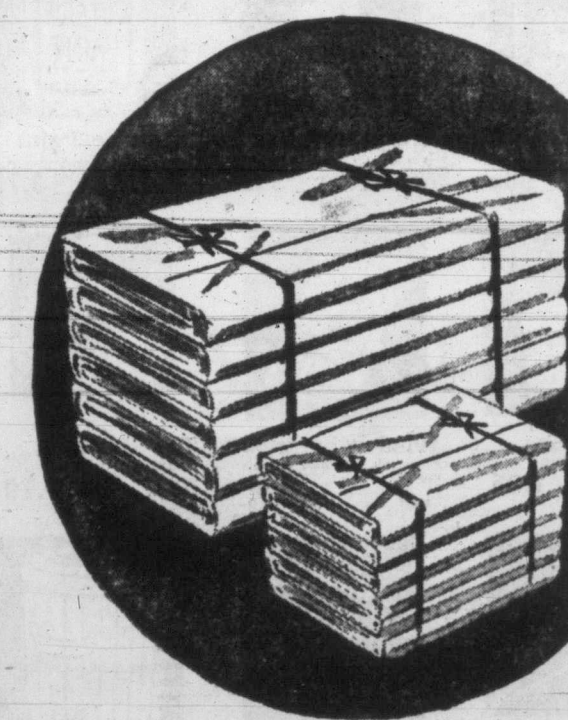
Pair **4⁹⁹**

First quality, ideal for those Summer camping trips! Convenient 70x90-inch size, ideal for double or 3/4 bed. In colorful blue or rose plaid.

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"Consul" Sanforized Pillow Cases

To match the "Consul" sheets—in quality, specifications, and value! Of the same sanforized snow-white muslin! 42x36-inch size. Pair **1.88**



All Sheeting Bought Tomorrow Hemmed Free!

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BAY Staples, Street Floor



Note These Special Purchases! Ladies' Smart Suits! Shorties!



Light-Weight Suits for Warm-Weather Wear

\$25

Suits casually styled for street or sportswear! All wools and mixtures in a wide variety of shades just right for spring through summer. Priced at dollars below regular selling prices due to a special purchase. 12 to 20.

PAY \$10 DOWN, \$10 in June and balance in July, including B.C. tax.

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Rayon mixtures in Glen plaid checks and plain suitings. The styles are ideal for casual or business wear. Don't miss this special suit buy! Sizes 12 to 18. **\$19**

A Special Low Price on Better Suits for Ladies!

Expertly styled in quality fabrics! Gabardine! Charmees! Imported Tweeds! Dressy and casual models. Popular navy and other shades for spring. Sizes 12 to 20. **\$35**

PAY 12.05 DOWN and \$10 monthly in June and July, balance in August.

You'll Save on a Fine New Shortee

\$25

Come in early and choose your clever new shortee to compliment spring and summer costumes. A wonderful selection of samples and models reduced from higher price ranges. Fine fabrics in wool crepe, suede, gabardine, imported checks and plaids. Popular belted or swing-back models in a wide variety of spring shades and soft pastels. Definitely a remarkable buy! Much too good to miss! Size range, 12 to 18.

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Specially Purchased Shortee Coats! Belted or Swing Back!

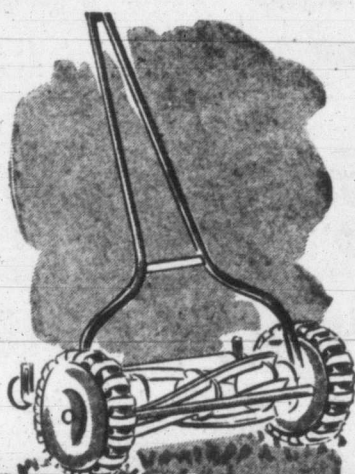
Every shortee in the group is expertly styled for a perfect fit! Fine quality coverts, suedes and polos in spring shades and pastels that are seasonal and correct. You'll love the clever sleeve treatment, the expensive looking satin lining. **\$19**

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Values in BAY Housewares!

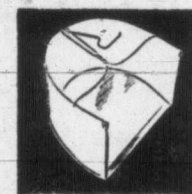


16-in. Lawn Mower! Made in England!

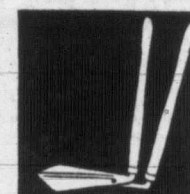
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Streamlined, all-metal lawn mower! With 5 Sheffield steel blades! Finest steel shearing blade, hardwood roller, bronze bearings! A real value!

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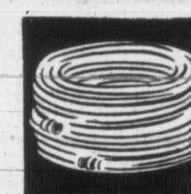
Grass Catcher
to fit 14-inch and 16-inch mower. Galvan-ized tray. **1.89**



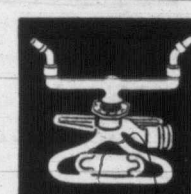
Border Shears
of Sheffield steel. With long handle. **3.98**



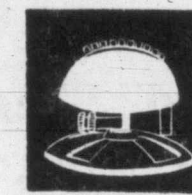
Watering Can
Green japanned ware. Hold approximately 1 gallon. **89c**



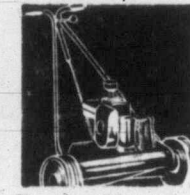
Garden Hose
of red plastic. 50-ft. Brass couplings. Guaranteed. **7.95**



Sprinkler
A copy of the famous Rain King. Fully adjustable. **3.95**



Sprinkler
Oscillating type. Waters area up to 40 feet square. **12.75**



Power Mower
Bob-A-Lawn brand. 18-in. cut. 4-cycle engine. Guaranteed. Terms available. **132.50**



Hi-Gloss Enamel
in 1-quart size. White and ivory only. **98c**



Turpentine
26-oz. A necessity for spring and summer painting. **39c**



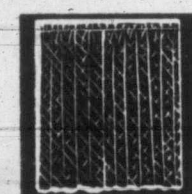
Outside Paint
Long-lasting, protective surface for your home needs. Gallon. **3.79**



Shingle Stain
in red, green, brown or black. Gallon. **2.79**



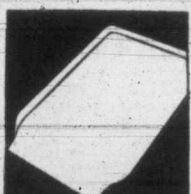
Roller Coater
Reg. 2.45 mohair roller. Complete with paint tray. **1.98**



Shower Curtain
Full size, in gay floral patterns. Assorted colors. **4.49**



Bath Spray
Rubber, res. 1.98. Adjustable faucet connection. **1.29**



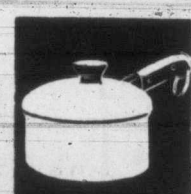
Drainboard Trays
of molded rubber. Approx. 10x20 inches. Red, white only. **2.89**



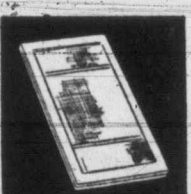
Car Washer
Connects at end of hose for easier car washing. **2.19**



Baby Scale
Weighs up to 25 lbs. With decals on pastel shades. **11.50**



Revere Ware
Stainless steel 3-quart covered saucepan. **7.95**



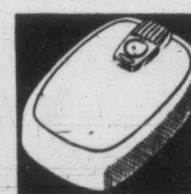
Window Screens
Adjustable. 10 x 20 inches, opening to 26 inches. Larger size. **89c**



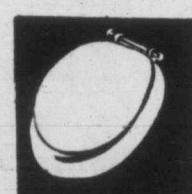
Tea Kettle
Aluminum non-scale type. 2-qt. size, low priced at. **1.79**



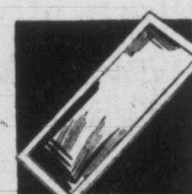
Double Boiler
Made of aluminum. Convenient 3-quart size. **1.75**



Scales
Bathroom type. Weigh up to 250 lbs. Accurate. **7.99**



Toilet Seat
of plastic. Complete with fittings. Pastel colors. **5.98**



Mirror
Approx. 14x20 inches. Unpainted frame. Clear glass. **3.98**



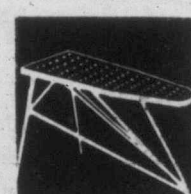
Oval Dishpan
with rolled rim. Of stainless enamel. White with red trim. **1.29**



Percolator
6-cup size. Of white enamel with red trim. **1.29**



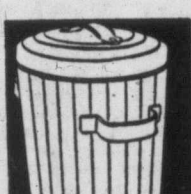
Saucepan
Window type. White with red trim. **39c**



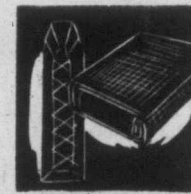
Ironing Board
All steel! Sturdy supports. Folds into compact size. **10.95**



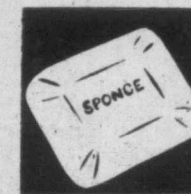
Clothes Basket
of white willow. Large size, with handles. Reg. 2.39 for. **1.98**



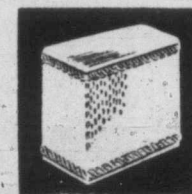
Garbage Can
Galvanized. Generous size. Complete with lid. **4.49**



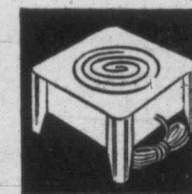
Pad and Cover
for ironing board. 54x15 inches. Layers to 18 inches. Late-on style. **1.33**



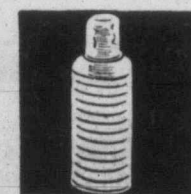
Cellulose Sponge
Jumbo size, 6x8 1/2 inches. 50c for. **49c**



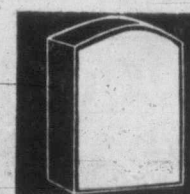
Linen Hamper
Reg. 8.98. Firmly woven. 14x20x24. **7.49**



Hotplate
Single burner type. 3-jet electric. Guaranteed. **6.99**



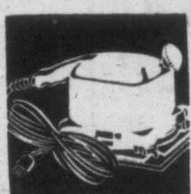
Vacuum Bottle
1-pint. **1.19**
Vacuum jug. 1-quart size. **3.79**



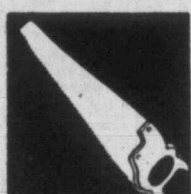
Medicine Cabinet
All metal, with modern mirror door. White. **3.79**



Portable Saw
6-inch blade. 3200 r.p.m. Motor guaranteed for 1 yr. Terms available. **49.95**



Sander
Speedway electric. 10 sq. in. sanding surface. Guaranteed. **42.95**



26-in Handsaw
2-point Sheffield steel! Exceptional value. **2.95**



Speedway Drill
with 1/4-inch chuck. Fully guaranteed. **14.95**

BAY Housewares, Third Floor

on the TIMES

By ART STOTT

They say poets are born, not made. It's generally accepted, too, that poetry is the child of inspiration. All that may be very true, but Audrey Alexandra Brown, probably the leading verse-smith hereabouts, thinks it's time she started to make some more poetry.

Writing, Audrey says, comes from the writing of it. It grows in the doing. Keep setting things down on paper and more ideas are born, ideas to be nourished and finally put into print. It isn't quite as simple as building a toy house out of children's blocks. But her point is that if people who write merely wait for inspiration, it may be a long time between manuscripts and the resultant cheques.



Stott

NOT THAT A person can sit before a typewriter and keep hammering out, ad nauseum, "Now is the time for all good men to come to the aid of their party." That might make fairly good topical reading across the Bay, but it won't add up to verse. For poetry there has to be imagery, light and shade, color, movement, little dancing phrases that are bright and shining, the fine solemn flow of words that make a grand river. There have to be all manner of ingredients in the type of work that has given Audrey the esteem of the public and her craft. She has combined them well, and she will again.

For almost a year, though, she hasn't been too active with her pen. She's planning to rectify that lapse. It's so easy, she says, not to write, just to drift along.

In the immediate future she plans to start work on a lecture on poetry she will give this summer to an authors' convention. When it's finished, it, too, should be an artistic presentation.

A FEW YEARS ago the distinguished lady of letters hoped to produce a novel. It's still in the formative stage and she seems to have the same misgivings about it that troubled her when she began. She doubts that she has the range of experience required for such a work.

However she may feel about that, her readers, and they include those who have followed the important Canadian literary publications, will expect from her a continuation of those lyrical pieces which brought her favorable notice from far and wide—including quotation by the late William Lyon Mackenzie King when he was Prime Minister.

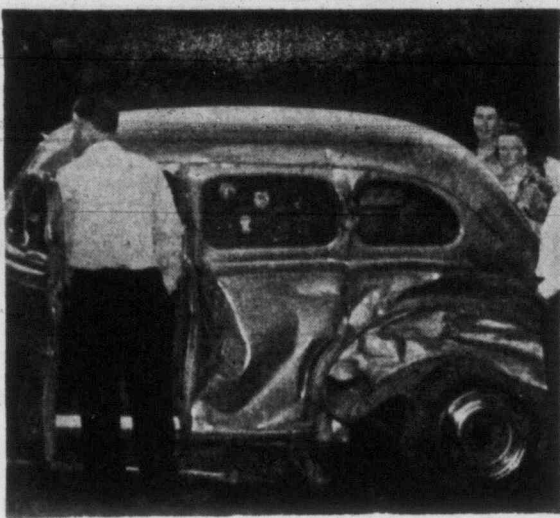
Audrey does her writing by pen. She feels a typewriter intervenes between herself and what she has to put down. She doesn't like a pencil. It reminds her of the unsatisfactory result of H.B. lead on the coarse fibre of school scribbles or the smudgy scrawls that softer lead produced.

SHE DOESN'T make a fetish of any particular pen. Those she borrows seem to be better to her than her own. Last year she bought one in Stratford and was assured by the man who sold it that it was the implement carried by Shakespeare's benediction. The merchant didn't explain how the old maestro transmitted those blessings, and as far as Audrey's concerned, they aren't very potent. She's beginning to think that Audrey Alexandra Brown has to contribute quite a bit to its manipulation before the Avonquest charm can be stimulated to action.

About a year ago she mapped out a writing schedule for herself. Somehow or other that schedule has fallen by the wayside. But she's emphatic when she announces her plans to start writing again.

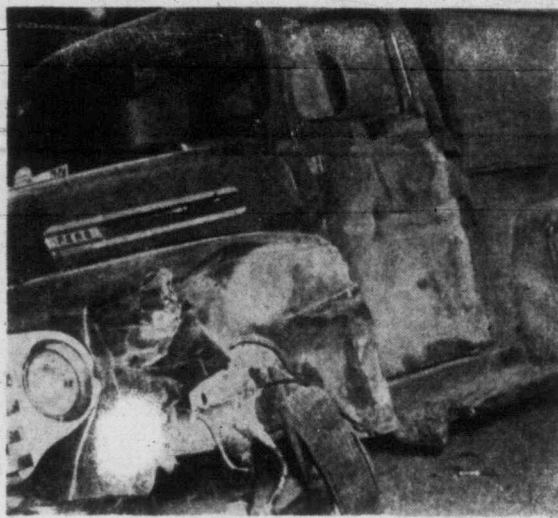
IT ISN'T GOOD when the pen feels unfamiliar in her hand. That's the way it has begun to feel and she intends to exorcise it and the hand a lot more. Maybe she'll begin within the next few days. That should be good news to her admirers.

Her talent was discovered early. It's some years since the "Dryad of Nanaimo" won critical favor. Since then there have been other collections—"The Log of a Lame Duck" was popular—which have increased her stature. It's interesting to talk to Audrey about writing. Like a lot of other people she'll advise those who aspire to letters not to wait until the muse lays divine hands on the serene brow. Inspiration may be the spark that kindles words and phrases to life, but they aren't set down on paper until a little manual effort has gone into the process too. Writing comes from writing, not just thinking about it.



One Injured, Heavy Damage In Three-Car Crash On Island Highway

Robert G. Mackintosh, 856 Cormorant, driver of this car, suffered cuts and bruises in three-car crash on Island Highway Tuesday night near Craigflower Bridge. Blowout caused Mackintosh's car to swerve. Damage amounted to around \$400.



Truck in charge of R. T. Weber, Shawnigan Lake, suffered \$500 damage but driver escaped with shake-up. Third machine, driven by Edward J. Cushing, Langford, also came out of mishap with no serious injury, but his car was damaged to extent of \$400.

Victoria Daily Times

VICTORIA, B.C., WEDNESDAY, APRIL 18, 1951

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B.C. To Empower S.P.C.A. To Levy For Expenses

Under legislation to be passed by B.C. lawmakers on the final day of the 1951 session of the Legislature today, the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals will be able to charge the owners of animals it may seize for any expenses incurred.

The humane society is given power to examine, seize, hold, destroy or dispose of any animal found at large or abandoned, or in the possession of any person not properly caring for the animal.

The word of any peace officer is sufficient for the society to take possession of an animal. In the past a veterinary and two reliable citizens had to give approval.

Another amendment to the act governing the society gives a city, municipality or district power to appoint the society as poundkeeper.

Victorians Are Prize Winners In Essay Contest

Prize winners in a high school essay contest sponsored by the B.C. Division, Canadian Cancer Society, were announced Tuesday by R. B. Buckfield, Vancouver.

A Vancouver girl, Kathleen Byrne, of John Oliver High, was grand winner of a \$50 prize. Other winners of \$25, \$15 and \$10 prizes, respectively, in their districts, were:

Victoria: Pamela Temple, Victoria High; Lillian Mar, Victoria High; Patricia Pitt-Brooke, Mt. Douglas High.

Nanaimo: Gayle Armstrong, Ladysmith; Elizabeth Neave, Nanaimo; Ann Nicholson, Salt Spring Island.

Comox-Alberni: Catherine Carle, Comox; Lynda Williams, Courtenay; Sheila Macmaster, Port Alice.

12 CURTAIN CALLS

Bob Lindgren Enjoys Success With Ballet

The ever-increasing success of a Victorian currently with the Ballet Russe de Monte Carlo was reflected last week when Bob Lindgren received 12 curtain calls in Ottawa.

The talented, 26-year-old dancer, born and raised in Victoria, received similar ovations in appearances in Toronto and Montreal.

Lindgren, who purchased his first pair of dancing shoes from money earned as a Times carrier, joined the Ballet Russe seven years ago.

Previously, he had studied under Dorothy Wilson in Victoria and June Roper in Vancouver, and later in New York and Paris.

He now takes several leading roles with the company, his part as the Golden Slave in Scheherazade in Ottawa bringing the tremendous response.

Lindgren appeared here with the Ballet Russe in November, 1949.

VICTORIA SHOE SHINERS PLAN NO HIKE IN PRICES

Shoe shine boys in Victoria are not planning to jump their prices from 20 to 25 cents as has been done in Vancouver.

"There's no point in raising it to 25 cents," commented Bob Hawkes at his Trounce Alley shoe shine parlor. "A customer usually leaves 25 cents and walks away anyway."

Of the same opinion was Jimmy Peri, of Globe Shoe Shine, who said so far there had been no indications of any boost in price.

Boost On Assessments Called 'Breath Of Faith'

DUNCAN—The recent action of the North Cowichan municipality in raising the assessment on improvements from 50 to 75 per cent was labelled "a breath of faith" by Maj.-Gen. C. A. P. Murison, president of the North Cowichan (Quamichan) Ratepayers Association, at a meeting of ratepayers representatives here Tuesday night.

He declared:

"This change in the tax structure is a breath of faith, and is an obstacle in the way of residential, business and industrial development. Between individual ratepayers it is inequitable and haphazard in its effects, and between north and south sections of the municipality, it flagrantly discriminates in favor of the north."

"Our municipality has been placed by the council in the unenviable position of having the highest levy on improvements of any municipality on the island and, I believe, in the province. And the reeve is proud of it."

IN COURT

Ernest G. Jones, charged with being intoxicated in a public place, was fined \$10 and costs.

Aubrey Lamerton, 538 Fraser, found guilty of careless driving, was fined \$40 and had his driver's license suspended for one year.

Donald Komich, found guilty of careless driving, was fined \$35.

Identify Much Of Loot Found In Saanich Home

R.C.M.P. and Oak Bay police have made "almost positive" identification of goods recovered by Saanich police at the home of Phillip Russell, believed to be the notorious "cat burglar," who has been charged with breaking and entering and theft.

"We are sure that many of the items were stolen in Oak Bay, and we recognize some of them," Oak Bay Police Chief H. F. C. Reston said today.

Many of the articles, he said, had likely been taken from houses under construction in Oak Bay, since builders' hardware, tools, and other materials were located in the loot.

R.C.M.P., who have worked with the Saanich police on the case, also have been checking both the loot and the records.

Russell was being questioned by Esquimalt police today. He and his brother, Edward Russell, who was charged with retaining, will appear in Saanich Court Thursday afternoon.

Arm Hurt In Crash

Sidney Ash, 20, 1349 Grant, was taken to St. Joseph's Hospital Tuesday evening with arm and leg injuries following a collision at Fernwood and Pembroke, between his motorcycle and a car driven by Florin Oliver Rundle, 2424 Richmond.

Dedicate New Bus

A ceremony dedicating the new recreation bus at Veterans' Hospital will be conducted at 11 Friday morning at the hospital. The women's auxiliary of the hospital raised much of the money for the bus.

Odd Circumstances Mark Soldier's Traffic Death

Motorist's Refusal To Give 'Hitch' Annoyed Pedestrians

Because a soldier was annoyed at being refused a "hitch," and a motorist mislaid his cigaret lighter, Gnr. Leon B. Aubry, 22, of Three Rivers, Que., was killed Sunday night in a traffic mishap in Saanich, according to testimony heard today at an inquest into his death.

The jury's verdict was accidental death.

Aubry, of Gordon Head Camp, was on Sinclair Road when he was struck by a car driven by Peter Thompson, San Juan Avenue, Saanich, according to police.

According to testimony today by Thompson, he drove past three soldiers heading west on Sinclair Road. They shouted at him when he did not stop to give them a ride, he said.

TURNED AROUND

He later missed his cigaret lighter and turned around toward a friend's house to retrieve it.

As he passed the soldiers in the opposite direction they made motions as if to throw rocks at him. He drove on, found his lighter, then drove around again. "As I came in view of the soldiers for the third time they turned and reached as if to pick up stones," he said. "I ducked, and next thing I knew I was bumping over rough ground."

His small open car went off the road 30 or 40 feet, passed where the soldier was later found lying, he said, and hit a culvert and boulder before it stopped.

One of the soldiers, Gnr. H. S. McCormack, said he had a rock in his hand, but that he had made no motion to throw it.

Community Centre Is Incorporated

DUNCAN—The certificate of incorporation for the Crofton Community Centre arrived today.

Officers of the new society are Charles Nixon, president; Mrs. B. Collinson, vice-president; W. Boyle, secretary, and H. Brown, treasurer; directors are A. Wood, J. Brooks, Mrs. B. Nixon, F. Hegland and W. Brooks.

There are 51 members of the society.

Little Damage In Second Fire At Apartment

Oak Bay firemen today were forced to lay over 1,000 feet of hose before extinguishing a fire which broke out shortly after 11 in an apartment building on Satellite Street.

The fire started in a wall between suites on the ground floor close to where a plumber was working with a blow torch.

The fire got a start in two-by-four studs and firemen were required to tear out a section of wall to get at the charred timbers.

Today's fire was the second at the building since its construction started. Last Halloween, juveniles tipped over a quantity of diesel fuel outside the building and set a match to it.

G. H. Wheaton, contractor, said this afternoon that despite the fire, the apartment would be ready for occupancy in about three weeks.

Funeral Monday For Duncan Farmer

DUNCAN—Death occurred today of 68-year-old Edward William Lawson, farmer in the Hillbank district.

Born in Yorkshire, he was veteran of World War I.

He is survived by his wife, and five sons. Funeral will be held Monday at St. Andrew's Church.

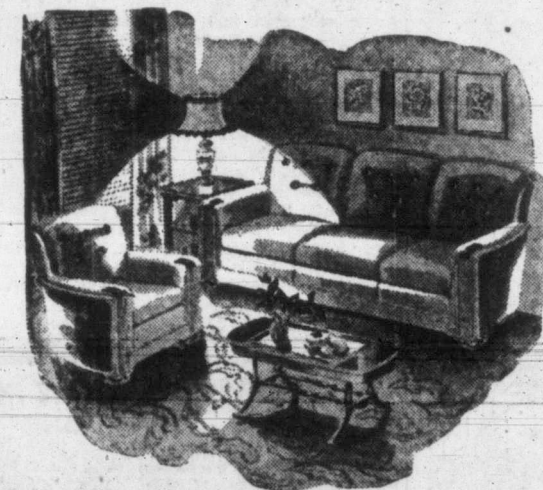


WIRE-HAIRED TERRIER owned by Mrs. R. G. Whitehead is taking lessons at Dog Obedience Training Club on how to deport himself on streets and in home. Owner will get certificate from Mrs. D. B. Hudson, 2615 Craigmare Road, if dog learns how to behave himself and is obedient.

BEARING GERMANY

Rev. L. G. Baker, Vancouver, will address a meeting in Central Baptist Church tonight at 8 on "The Reformation of Germany in the Light of the Scriptures."

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WHY GROW OLD?

By JOSEPHINE LOWMAN

Thin Girls Face Problems Now That Spring Is Here

It takes spring, with swim suits in the offing, to smoke the thin girls out of their falsies.

Always, at this season, I begin to get letters from the slim ones because they want to look well in their bathing suits. They want to increase their bust measurements and build up the calves of their legs, and they



For the coming shorts and swim suit season thin girls want to fill out their figures—try this leg exercise.

can, because Aunt Josie is right here to help.

Many of these women have been in a vicious circle. They have given up swimming because they are self-conscious about a flat bustline, when swimming is one of the best exercises that build up the pec-

toral muscles which lie underneath the bust, and therefore can increase the bust measurement. However, today, I am going to give you just one exercise.

Stand tall. Bend your elbows and lift your arms to just about the shoulder level. Grasp your left forearm with your right hand, and your forearm with your left hand. Push your elbows toward one another, resisting slightly with the hands. Relax. Push. Relax, and continue. This is done in somewhat a jerky manner. If you will stand in front of a mirror you will be able to tell when you are doing it correctly. When you do so you will see the muscles in your chest jump.

For thin calves: Stand facing a chair. Take hold of the back of the chair. Rise high on your toes and slowly bend your knees, half way down. Slowly, straighten your knees while still on your toes. Relax. Continue.

Bicycle riding is a splendid calf developer, and one of the truly beneficial and lovely outdoor activities during beautiful spring weather.

Do not leave this sport off just because your calves are normal or fat. You see, the only way we can develop contour is by developing muscles, but you can ride without fear of developing fatty deposits.

The skinnies should also take to heart the rules for putting on five meals a day, milk with cream added, vitamin B complex, no worry or hurry when available.

I know what the women who have a tendency to gain are thinking "It surely would be fun to try to gain weight instead of fighting it all the time." I know what you mean!

If you would like to have my leaflet for developing the bust send a stamped, self-addressed envelope with your request for leaflet No. 7, "Don't Have Round Shoulders and Flat Bust—Reverse!" Address Josephine Lowman in care of this newspaper.

Young Musicians Name New Officers; Programs Given

Milton Creasey was named president of the Intermediate Group, Victoria Musical Arts Society at final meeting of the season, held last week-end.

Other officers are Alan Tregear, vice-president; Lorraine Brand, secretary; Daryl Logan, treasurer; Pat Shakespeare and George Essihas, program; Mary Cameron, Martha Worthy and Terry Frisborn, refreshments; Anne Robertson and Charlotte Kay, telephone; Bernard Rain, master of ceremonies; Catherine Dixon, press.

Program following the meeting included numbers by Jacqueline Sawyer, Robert Thornburn, Marion Gibbs and Marthy Worthy, piano; Alan Tregear and Anne Robertson, violin; Vivian and Muriel Trimble, duo piano; Bernard Rain and Douglas Ericson, violin, with Mary Cameron, piano. Guest artist was vocalist Winnifred Snape and accompanists Miss D. Francis and Mrs. Dixon.

Norman Wilkinson was elected president of the junior group at their annual meeting with Joan Anderson, vice-president; Barry Gough, second; Barbara Sanson, secretary; Ann McFadyen, treasurer; Michael Kersey and Jane Hardy, program; Barbara Wallace and Douglas Randall, press; Barbara Youson, Margaret Richmond, Gail Holloway and Sandra Watkins, refreshments; Bruce Huxtable, Michael Swannell and Peter Mirenska, collections; Myrle Beere, Marilyn Haywood, Edith Kingdom, Pattie Cromie, hostesses; Bobbie Harvey, host; Mabel Kingdom, convener.

Following students gave a musical program; Marjorie Richmond, Joan Anderson, Barbara Youson, Brian Wallace, Anne Williams, Barbara Sanson, Louise Hellinor, Gladys Stark, Anne Fraekie, and Linda Barker. Guest artist was Marie Milburn, violinist, accompanied by Mrs. W. Milburn.

Mrs. C. Bacon, senior adviser, spoke briefly.



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SHOPPING GUIDE

Hold Onto Your Bonnets Watermelon's Comin' Soon

By PENNY SAVER

Well! Tie me shoe laces together! If I didn't hear in a hush-hush tone this very morning, that there may be a trickling of watermelons in this week-end. Imagine! Well, that's what we get for having ourselves such an overdose of sunshine.

The price on the rumor, pardon me, watermelon, if it makes a showing, will be 16 pennies a precious pound.

All sorts of new items flitting about the shelves this morning and good deals, too. Great tins of juicy sliced pineapple—28-ounce size—all the way from South Africa, for only 39 pennies. I looked at that price when I saw it and a clerk assured me it was the McCoy. Pineapple, in its tasty liquid form... this time from Mexico... in generous 20-ounce tins, 15 pennies.

Sage blossom honey... Gad! Doesn't that make you think of blossoming fields and busy little bees packin' out their golden cargo by the bucketful? Price on that tastiness, 39 pennies for an 8-ounce jar. A treat for the brood is wine jelly for a tea-time snack. "Bergundy" is the particular flavor and 59 cents is the particular price on the 10-ounce jar.

But away with all this frivolity, best I take a peek at the daily menu.

Cauliflower is certainly in good form and selling reasonably at 25 pennies each. Saw the frozen packaged cauliflower this morning. Choice pieces tucked away in 30-cent lots.

New cabbage is in, and soch a comforting price. Down to 9 pennies a pound it is.

Asparagus is another of the uppy class that's lowered its nose to settle at 26 cents the pound... radishes, 2 bunches for 15 pennies... rhubarb, a pound for 18 cents, and green peas, 20 cents a pound.

Chow Suey and salad mix

threw a few pennies to the wind and put up a new price tag reading 12 cents.

My hat! Even avacados were down to 20 pennies each today.

Thrifty Nifty Helen Robertson



Add cooked rice to eggs when scrambling—mmm good!

Not all shriveled, either! Sitting not too far from the avacados were lovely bunches of coconuts. Pack 'em home, if you like 'em, but don't forget to pay your 14 cents for a pound of the hard-shelled critters.

MARY HAWORTH'S MAIL

Girl Keeps Suitor In Suspense; Should He Wheedle Or Issue Ultimatum?

Dear Mary Haworth: I met Janet a little more than two years ago. During the first year after our meeting we exchanged letters; and during the second year I was living near her, and we dated often and regularly. Four months ago I was forced to leave her vicinity due to a job commitment, and just before leaving I asked her to marry me. I am still waiting for an answer. "Yes" or "No," but it seems she cannot reach a decision; nor can she give me a reason for her procrastinating.

I am 24 and Janet is 22. Our educational backgrounds are much the same, we like the same things, and we get along well and have fun together. I have a secure job yielding average income, so I believe we could manage financially; and while it's true we were reared in different

creeds, I have Mary Haworth expressed a willingness to join her church. In short, there's no feasible reason why she can't give me a forthright answer—unless there is some hidden handicap she hesitates to mention.

F. S.

GIRL'S MOOD IS PLATONIC

Dear F. S.: If Janet were in love with you, she could hardly refrain from saying so, since that feeling, when it truly exists, tends to find voice spontaneously—the more especially when the beloved gives encouragement to tender speech. Thus I think you may logically construe her polite

noncommittal language as proof that her sentiments are only friendly, at most.

Her tactful assurance that you are the nicest person she's ever known, and that you would be her choice if she were ready to marry, is a skillful way of signifying "No," without definitely giving you the gate. It simply means that she respects your sterling qualities, appreciates your devotion to her, and feels reluctant to discourage your interest, inasmuch as she wants the emotional support of your continuing attention, until such time as she finds sanctuary in a mutual-love match.

In my opinion, there's no use badgering Janet, with further persistent proposals by letter. I think you'll have to make up your mind that you've been refused; and I believe you should let her know that this is the message you derive from her stalling.

M. H.

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Spring Tea Held

With rooms and tables suitably decorated, the spring tea held recently at the home of Mrs. H. A. Porter under auspices of Florence Nightingale Chapter, I.O.D.E., was an outstanding success.

Mrs. William Blair, regent, assisted by Mrs. James Baker, received guests among whom were Municipal regent, Mrs. C. L. Bishop.

Afternoon tea was served with Mrs. W. R. Roskelley and Mrs. T. Lumsden presiding.

Came Rebekah Lodge No. 45, Thursday, 7.30, Odd Fellows' Hall. District Deputy president, Sister Win McKim, to preside. Lions' Women's Auxiliary, Friday at 12, Strathcona Hotel. Film, "Grandma Goes to Town."

STUDIES DELINQUENCY

LONDON (CP) — Marguerite Choquette, a chic French-Canadian who would seem more at home in a fashion salon, is here to study criminology.

With a brilliant scholastic record, the slim, dark 25-year-old has been awarded a Viscount Bennett Scholarship at the University of London.

Already a full-fledged lawyer with a practice in Quebec, having taken her Bachelor of Arts and Law degrees at Laval University, Marguerite is studying British methods of dealing with juvenile delinquency.

Spring Tea—Ladies' Auxiliary Britannia Branch, No. 7 Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L., held a successful spring tea recently where over \$40 was realized. A bank of spring flowers covered the stage of the auditorium, and tea was served from small tables covered with fancy cloths, and centered with vases of spring flowers. Mrs. A. Hall received guests, and Mesdames E. Wren and J. C. Lewis were in charge of tea tickets. Executive members Mesdames E. Swan, D. McCulloch, L. M. Booth, A. Jones, E. Jarvis, D. Ree, J. A. Farmer and K. Sheret were in charge of tea arrangements. Mrs. G. E. Davis gave instrumental solos and Mrs. L. Hamer, card readings. Mrs. E. Kinsman, Edmonton, read tea cups.

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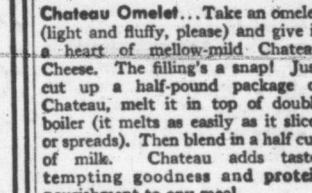
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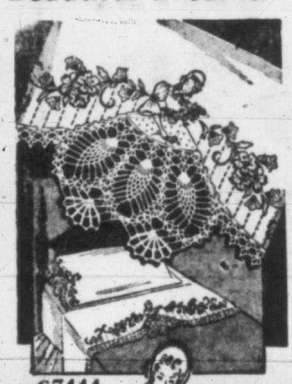


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Wins Mills College Scholarship

Word has been received by H. L. Smith, principal, Victoria High School, that Miss Sheila Bates has won a trustee scholarship at Mills College, offered on a competitive basis to candidates presenting themselves on recommendation of their school principals. The award will enable Miss Bates to take her B.A. degree at Mills, where they specialize in music, her chosen career. Sheila was born in Saskatoon and came to this city with her mother, Mrs.

Arthur Bates, Despard Avenue, in 1941. In 1948 she won highest marks in Canada in Royal School examinations, Grade 8, final, and in 1950 won festival awards in this city. Last year, B.C. Teachers' Federation held a search-for-talent contest in which Sheila placed first on Vancouver Island and second in the province. She has studied music since she was four years of age and for the past five years has been pupil of Stanley Shale, F.R.A.M.

OF PERSONAL INTEREST

Nursing Sister With R.C.A.F.

Miss Anna Peden left Victoria last Sunday for Edmonton where she has been posted as nursing sister with rank of Flying Officer with the R.C.A.F. During four years of the war Miss Peden was attached to the women's division of the R.C.A.F. Returning to Victoria she took nurse's training at Royal Jubilee Hospital where she won two scholarships, leading her class in both first and third year. Following graduation she went to California and only returned to Victoria the beginning of the year. Miss Peden is the daughter of Mrs. William Peden, 2572 Prior Street.

A Wishing Well Of Gifts

A miniature wishing well brimmed over with many gifts for bride-elect Miss Olga Lakusta when Mrs. T. Johansen and Mrs. R. Stark entertained at the home of Mrs. D. M. Emery, 1645 Broadmead Avenue. On arrival at the miscellaneous shower the honor guest was presented with red roses en corsage. Games were enjoyed and refreshments served. Guests were Mesdames C. Morgan; P. Barry, A. Hunter, C. A. Hunter, T. Ferris, A. McKinnon, E. Griffiths, J. Dunnett, J. Ryall, D. Carlow, J. Turner, B. Guest, Misses Peggy Smith, Isabel Lund and Pat Emery.

Bon Voyage Surprise Party

Mr. S. W. Gentry and friends of Mrs. Gentry's, entertained in her honor Saturday evening at a surprise bon voyage party prior to her trip to England where she will have a four-month holiday. Guests included Mr. and Mrs. R. Ranson, Mr. and Mrs. H. Ranson, Mr. and Mrs. W. Spike, Mr. and Mrs. A. Jessop, Mr. and Mrs. J. Gentry.

Mrs. M. F. Gray, "Hillcrest," Jasmine Avenue, entertained during the tea hour today in honor of Mrs. A. B. Arnison, who is leaving shortly for Eastern Canada where Cmdr. Arnison has been transferred. Presiding at the tea table were Mrs. T. H. Evans, and Mrs. B. R. Spencer.

P.T.A. Notes

Parents of pre-primary pupils were guests at a meeting held Monday. Mrs. Dorothy Toder, supervisor, Spring Ridge School, gave a talk on "How to Prepare a Child for School." Another meeting for pre-primary parents will be held later after registration of grade one pupils.

McKenzie Avenue—A Spring tea will be held at McKenzie Avenue School Friday at 2:30. There will be home cooking, candy, small plants, and other articles for sale. School nurse, Mrs. A. Croft will show films from 1:30 to 2:30. The film is being shown in connection with the new "Effective Living" course recently introduced into the schools.

Esquimalt—Delegates to provincial convention, Mrs. W. Putt and Mrs. A. Rogers gave reports at last meeting of Esquimalt P.T.A. A film, "Problem Children," was shown by N. Berod. Following business, square dancing was enjoyed with instruction by Miss Sheila Stanley, Victoria High School. Refreshments were served.

Dr. and Mrs. M. R. Elliott, N.S., are visiting in Victoria for a few days and are guests of Miss Vina Bengtson, Swedish Villa, Linden Avenue.

Miss Rose Himmelblau and Leopold Himmelblau have arrived from England to attend the wedding of their niece, Miss Trixie Himmelblau. They plan to stay in Victoria for two weeks then travel extensively in the United States before returning home. While in the city they are the guests of their niece at her home, 217 Cook Street.

Among Vancouver Island guests who traveled to Comox for the wedding of Miss Edna Rix to Mr. Angus Ashworth Hamilton, were Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Armistead, Nanaimo; Mr. and Mrs. A. Doney, Dr. M. D. McKeichan, Miss Edith Jeune, Saanichton; Mrs. C. Wilson, Misses Eva Jeune, Helen Parfitt, Jean Harwood, Florence Smith, Mary Bochko and Mr. Arthur Jeune, all of Victoria.

At the tea-hour recently Mrs. R. G. Martin and Mrs. Joseph Pearson were hostesses to members of Sororistomist Club at Oak Bay Beach Hotel. Miss Ella Walker presided at the tea table and Miss Frances Jordan assisted in serving. Guests were Mrs. A. Hardy, Regina, Mrs. A. Kimmitt, Mrs. S. McMartin, Mrs. G. Wilkinson, Mrs. R. Green, Mrs. A. Robertson, Misses Olive Hermitage, Marion Storey, Gypsy Gould, Nell Jones, and Alma Russell.

Sir Matthew Baillie Begbie Chapter, I.O.D.E., headquarters, Friday, 2:30.

WESTERN WOMAN SCHOOL HEAD

REGINA (CP)—Miss Marion Scribner is Saskatchewan's only woman school superintendent, and thinks possibly she is the only one in Canada.

There are women in Ontario with a similar title but Miss Scribner believes they work mainly as assistant to a male superintendent.

Miss Scribner's bailiwick is the Gull Lake District in the southwestern part of the province. She likes it there, and says she can see no advantage in transferring from one place to another. She would be happy to spend the rest of her life there—although she wasn't sure that would be a good idea either for herself or the district.

Barbara Brown Heads Xi Beta Chapter

At recent meeting of Xi Beta Exemplar Chapter, Beta Sigma Phi Sorority, Mrs. Barbara Brown was elected president.

Executive member are Miss Vera Waller, vice-president; Miss Frances West, recording secretary; Mrs. Doris Faryon, corresponding; Mrs. Margaret Skinner, treasurer; Miss Rita Rodger, extension officer; Miss Muriel Knight and Mrs. Mary Ann Philpott, council representatives.

Plans were outlined for Founders' Day banquet to be held at the Monterey Supper Club, April 30, and preliminary arrangements were made for annual garden party at the Aged Ladies' Home in June.

Cultural program on talents and ambitions was conducted by Mrs. Grace Kerham, with members presenting short talks. "Effect of Television on Theatre Audiences" was discussed by Miss Rita Rodger, while Mrs. Edna Rix spoke on "Comparison of Modern Day Art With the Old Masters."

Gifts Given—Child and family welfare convener, Miss Gail Langthorne, reported packing gifts for the chapter's two adopted Solarium patients at a meeting of H.M.C.S. Beacon Hill Chapter, I.O.D.E. Mrs. F. J. Nobbs presided and plans were made for a rummage sale in May and for a bingo party.

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Attending Provincial Council In Vancouver

Mrs. G. H. Gardiner, Mrs. R. H. Milburn, Mrs. J. T. Jones and Mrs. A. N. Taylor left Victoria yesterday to attend 15th annual session of Provincial Council, Canadian Daughters' League, in Vancouver

today and tomorrow. Business sessions commenced this morning and election of officers will take place tomorrow morning. Also attending the sessions from Victoria is Mrs. J. Fawcett.

Color Of Bacon, Fog-Horns Discussed At Meeting Of University Women's Club

"Since we pay good money to support the government and all its workings and undertakings, I think it is of interest to all of us to obtain an idea of where some of our money goes, and what we get for it," said attractive, young Dr. Anne Underhill of Dominion Astrophysical Observatory in addressing University Women's Club on the National Research Council yesterday evening in the Arts Centre.

The speaker dealt mainly with research in Canada in physics and with research work which is being supported by the government.

"In most countries research is supported in three ways—by government, universities and industry," Dr. Underhill said, "and Canada is no exception."

Research at universities in physical sciences is supported by government grants, grants from industry and university endowments, the speaker explained.

In outlining researches carried out by various divisions of the council, Dr. Underhill explained that in Division of Applied Biology, one project under investigation for some years has been the color and color stability of Canadian export bacon.

"Rested, well-fed hogs produce bacon that has better color, it has been shown through recent fundamental studies on physiology of muscle of the animals," she said.

The work of Divisions of Building Research, of chemistry of information services, medical research were presented in the interesting report.

"No improvement in design of foghorns has been made in any country for over 30 years," said the guest speaker in telling of work of divisions of physics, in the field of acoustics.

"Much of the experimental work in redesigning of new foghorns was carried out in Ottawa on the banks of the Ottawa River. At this point, the speaker told of visiting in Ottawa in January and after meeting the director of the division of physics, was told that work on foghorns was temporarily held up.

"The people in Hull, directly across the river, were complaining of the racket as the new, efficient foghorns ground out their mournful wail."

Mrs. J. F. K. English, who presided at the meeting, gave the vote of thanks to the speaker.

Victorians Among Guests At Recent Comox Wedding

In the presence of many guests, a number of whom traveled from Victoria and Nanaimo, Dulcie Malcolm became the bride of Angus Ashworth Hamilton in Comox United Church, Rev. J. S. Clarke conducted the ceremony.

The church was bright with bouquets of daffodils and narcissi for the occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Malcolm, Comox, are parents of the bride, and the groom's parents are the late Mr. and Mrs. Angus A. Hamilton, formerly of Comox.

For the evening wedding the bride wore a toe-touching wedding gown of ice blue tulle, designed with yoke of sheer nylon net, and off-shoulder neckline with collar that extended from the front to a swirl at the back where a single rose was tucked.

In pastel contrast she chose a shower bouquet of palest yellow carnations and tiny white daffodils. Her father gave her in marriage.

A gown of pale yellow embroidered organdie was worn by the bride's sister, Chere. She carried purple stocks and pale yellow daffodils. Little Julane, another sister of the bride, was in floor-length Empire styled gown of flowered voile. With it she wore matching halo hat and carried a basket of spring blooms.

Douglas Hamilton was best man for his brother and ushers were Edgar Smith and Rex Ebleton.

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wakeford Cox the newlyweds cut a three-tier cake that was centred on the bride's table set with hand-made lace cloth, sprigs of heather and silver candelabra. Dr. M. D. McKichan, Saanichton, proposed the toast to the bride.

San Francisco is the honeymoon destination of the couple now motoring south. For traveling, the bride donned a grey tailored suit, hat of soft straw with grey quill trim and blue shortie topcoat.

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I.O.D.E. Convention Banquet Held In Empress Ballroom

Pink and white snapdragons and pale blue iris decorated head table in the Crystal Ballroom at the Empress Hotel yesterday evening for a dinner arranged by Victoria Municipal Chapter as part of the 38th annual meeting of Provincial Chapter, I.O.D.E.

Adding a complementing note of color were the hand-painted place cards made by Mrs. Charles Ricketts.

Victoria Municipal regent, Mrs. C. L. Bishop, presided and seated with her at the head table were Provincial president, Mrs. E. H. Pellant; Provincial honorary vice-presidents, Mrs. W. N. Martin and Mrs. R. J. Sprott; Municipal honorary president and vice-president, Mrs. J. L. Ford and Mrs. A. H. C. Phipps; guest speaker, W. E. Ireland, and Mrs. Ireland; Provincial vice-presidents, Mrs. F. E. Dowdall, Mrs. W. C. Nichol, Mrs. A. W. McGhie, Mrs. E. R. Bell, Mrs. J. L. Gates, Mrs. P. J. Keoughen and Mrs. A. Berner.

Municipal first and second vice-regents, Mrs. G. F. Green and Mrs. H. D. Parizeau; Mrs. E. O. Du Vernet, Mrs. C. Barrett-Lennard, Mrs. R. S. Gourlay, Mrs. Denny Godfrey, Mrs. R. C. McCorkell, Mrs. T. Lumsden, Mrs. A. Warren Smith, Mrs. W. L. Williams, Mrs. L. A. Lucas, Misses Joan French and Christine MacNabb.

League Tag Day Raised \$1,944.06

Mrs. J. W. English, convener of recent tag day of the Queen Alexandra Solarium Junior League, reported at Monday night's meeting that \$1,944.06 was realized.

Mrs. Howard Damaske, league representative on the Solarium board of directors, gave a report on a board meeting.

Proceeds from a recent soccer match, between Victoria United and Victoria All-Stars, amounted to \$233.50, reported Mrs. V. E. Fraser.

Miss Betty Morris and Miss Yvonne Aires received pins at an initiation ceremony conducted by Mrs. D. E. Forrest.

Next meeting will be held May 7.

Victoria Women's Progressive Conservative Association, Orange Hall, 725 Courtney Street, Thursday at 2:15. Guest speaker, Hon. E. C. Carson. . . . Anglican Diocesan Woman's Auxiliary, St. Martin's-in-the-Field parish hall, Obed Avenue, Friday at 10:30 a.m.

A letter of greeting was read from Provincial honorary vice-president, Mrs. G. A. Grant, who was unable to be present because of an accident.

GUEST SPEAKER

In his address to the gathering, Mr. Ireland sketched briefly the growth of Canada to the present day.

"Canada was founded by an act of faith," he said, "the faith in her destiny that was evinced by those who have gone before."

"If we are to be true to that faith then we must not only look to the past and become more aware of the accomplishments of those early Canadians but we must build on the noble structure they have erected."

"And in that building we must strengthen the soul of Canada by making more and more Canadians aware of the intangible assets of their country."

Responsibility for this education will rest to a great extent, with the Canadian people, the speaker said.

"If we are to have better Canadians," he urged, "then we must have a better home life. We must return to the moral and spiritual beliefs that have been so much a part of our Canadian home life and that we have lost, somewhere along the way."

Mrs. A. H. C. Phipps thanked the speaker at close of his address. Mrs. H. D. Parizeau convoked arrangements for the dinner.

During the evening Mrs. L. A. Lucas presented Mrs. R. C. McCorkell, Provincial standard-bearer, with a corsage bouquet on behalf of all standard-bearers at the meeting.

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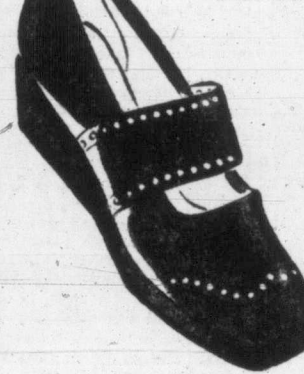
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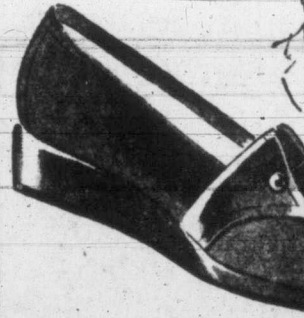
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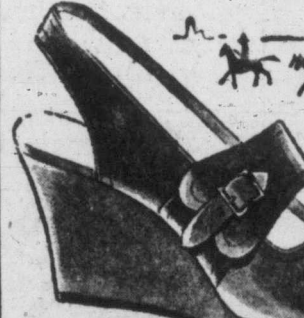
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Island Lodges Meet At Nanaimo

At a recent meeting of the Order of the Royal Purple Lodge, Honored Royal Lady Mary Wadon announced that district meeting for island lodges will be held at Nanaimo, April 24, with the District Deputy Supreme Honored Royal Lady Muriel Mackie in charge. A bus will leave from the Elk's home for Nanaimo at 11 and return the same day.

Two new members, Mesdames Mabel Blaus and Florence Young, were welcomed, and arrangements made for a spring tea and sale of home cooking on Wednesday at the Elk's Home. A cribbage game will be held in the evening.

Next lodge meeting will be conducted by the past Honored Royal Ladies' Association, April 25, when five new members will be initiated.

CLUB WOMEN'S NEWS

Donation Tea—Christ Church Cathedral Women's Parish Guild announced at their recent meeting that a Dominion tea will be held Friday at 3, at the home of Mrs. J. F. K. English, Arnold Avenue. Mesdames M. Bolton, C. H. Dale and C. Chesterman reported on sick visits to members and it was announced that progress is being made with renovations to the kitchen at Memorial Hall. Luncheon was provided for 162 clergy and laity at recent Synod meeting. Mrs. A. J. Parmiter will give an address at the next meeting on "Pioneering with the Church." Film, "Jungle Bread" was shown by A. Gibberd.

Work Sale, Tea—Mr. C. Johns was general convener of a successful sale of work and tea held by Victoria Women's Institute. Assisting here were Mesdames W. F. Bridge, J. Terry and G. Upward, home cooking and flowers; Mesdames E. McLellan, E. Fanthorpe and D. Tanner, games; Mesdames F. Robinson, E. Thomas and O'Hara, tea; Mrs. W. Peden, door receipts.

Friendship Session—Senior Regent A. Hopley presided at recent meeting of Victoria Women of the Moose when it was announced that the Friendship Session will be held in May in Prince Rupert. Mrs. A. Edwards reported on recent bazaar, and letter was received inviting members to visit the Port Angeles chapter. A report was given on cabaret supper-dance to be held jointly with Lodge 1390 in May. Arrangements were made to tour the New Method Laundry.

P.T.A. Notes

Quadra—Regular meeting of Quadra P.T.A. will be held tonight at 8. Delegates to provincial convention will report, color film, "No Man Is An Island," will be shown.

Spring fruit platters may be made just as interesting as the summer variety. Friends and guests will find fruit variety singularly delicious. Here is an attractive good-tasting assortment: Cheese—stuffed prunes, grapefruit wedges and quartered bananas. Endive makes a pretty, feathery background and French dressing an excellent topping.



An Early April Wedding

Married recently in St. John's Anglican Church were Mr. and Mrs. James Lindsay Smith. The bride is the former Miss Evelyn Clara Ball, daughter of Mrs. E. Ball, Midgard Avenue, and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Smith, Cook Street. (Photo by Joncas)



JOHN W. COLBERT



MISS MARY E. MARTIN

Ottawa Wedding

The marriage will be solemnized at St. Patrick's Cathedral, Ottawa, at 9 next Saturday morning of Mr. and Mrs. Allan J. Martin, Ottawa, and John Wallace Colbert, B.A., B.Sc., son of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Colbert, Victoria, who graduated last May from University of British Columbia, is at present a chemical engineer with the National Research Council at Ottawa.

OF PERSONAL INTEREST

New Orleans Trip

Miss Nancy Gray, student at Cottey College, Nevada, Missouri, has returned to Nevada from an eight-day trip sponsored by the college to New Orleans during its spring vacation.

Overnight stops included Little Rock, capital of Arkansas; Natchez, Mississippi; Baton Rouge, capital of Louisiana; New Orleans; Lafayette, Louisiana, and Texarkana, Texas.

Miss Gray saw colonial and antebellum homes in the south not usually open to the public, the Marine Hospital for patients with Hansen's disease in Carville, Louisiana, and in New Orleans had lunch at Arnauds' with the New Orleans P.E.O.'s a harbor boat trip with the Board of Commissioners on their private yacht, and a tour of International House and the International Trade Mart.

Miss Gray is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. T. W. A. Gray, Rockland Avenue.

Honors Provincial President

Mrs. J. L. Ford, honorary Municipal regent, entertained in her Windsor Avenue home Sunday afternoon in honor of Mrs. E. H. Pellant, Vancouver, provincial president of the I.O.D.E.

Guests included Mrs. W. N. Martin, Mrs. J. W. Asher, Mrs. Denny's Godfrey, all of Vancouver, Mrs. C. L. Bishop, and Mrs. William Ellis, Victoria.

Miss Joyce Robinson was guest of honor at a miscellaneous shower given by Mrs. A. Baird and Mrs. A. Hall, at the home of the latter. The bride-elect was presented with a corsage bouquet, as was her mother, Mrs. T. B. Robinson, and Mrs. W. Hindle, mother of the groom-elect. Gifts were concealed in a hamper decorated to represent a nurse. Mrs. Robinson and Mrs. Hindle presided at the refreshment table while Misses G. Hall and C. Hanahan assisted in serving. Guests included Mesdames A. Stokes, G. Harrison, J. Bethel, E. Hadland, V. Hadland, A. M. Webster, L. Hall, W. Blewin, F. Freeman, T. Tams, A. Smith, C. Wilkinson and Miss J. Stewart.

For April bride-elect, Miss Nan Cooper, a surprise miscellaneous shower was given last evening by Mrs. J. P. Lanyon and Mrs. E. Copp, at the home of the latter, 1124 Topaz Avenue. A decorated pink and white container filled with gifts, and a corsage bouquet of heather and carnations was presented to the honor guest. The groom-elect's mother, Mrs. J. H. Wagg also received a corsage bouquet.

Guests were Mesdames L. Wagg, F. Jeeves, W. Pynn, G. Hines, R. Lanyon, N. Groves, M. Brown, A. Allnutt, C. Pedersen, B. McDermott, J. S. Rippon, Misses May Wagg, Edna Steer, Kitty Lees, Marion Cain and Faye Wagg.

Now's the time for beautiful fresh fruit salads with seedless oranges. While these large oranges are available, take advantage of their ease of peeling and their delicious flavor. After peeling, slice them across into cartwheel shapes and arrange on salad plates with bananas, apples, and grapes or other fresh fruits.

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'Green Sheet' Tells How To Stretch Food

OTTAWA (CP)—Pamphlets fluttered recently from envelopes containing family allowance cheques—telling Canadian mothers how to stretch their food dollars.

The green sheets held the Health Department's recommendation for bucking the rising cost of living. There were several economizing hints. Housewives were urged to make their own relishes and salad dressings; supplement whole milk with skim milk; fluid or powdered;

use grade B eggs for baking, serve fish, eggs, cheese, beans, liver, kidney, heart or tongue instead of roasts and chops, and do their own baking.

Distribution of the first several thousand pamphlets evoked letters from only nine recipients. These included one from a bakery firm which complained about the home baking recommendation.

The Health Department does not make a habit of including pamphlets with its family allow-

ance cheques. In fact these bulletins are not psychologically sound to distribute them more frequently.

Those in the know say it's human nature to pass up reading material that's always there. On the other hand an occasional pamphlet whets the immediate interest.

Nutrition experts in the Federal Health Department say it's time to get away from the "toast and tea" idea when considering the diet of older persons.

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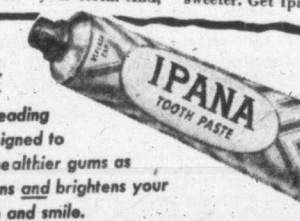
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1951 HILLMAN SEDAN. air conditioned. only 800 miles. \$1695.

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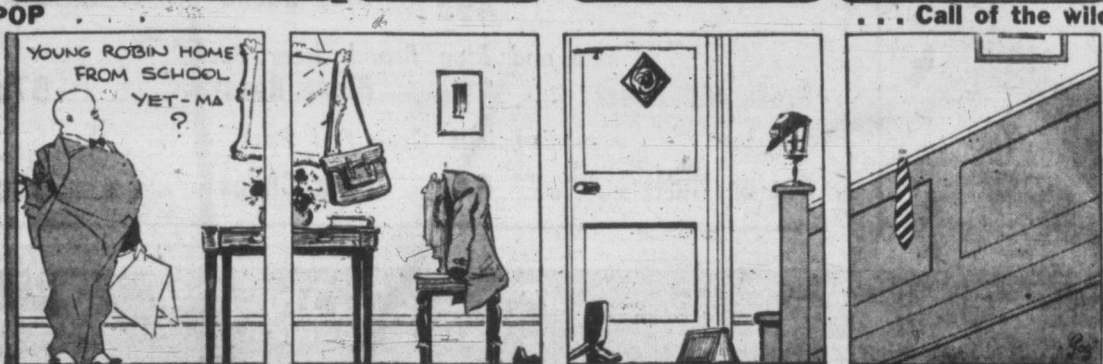
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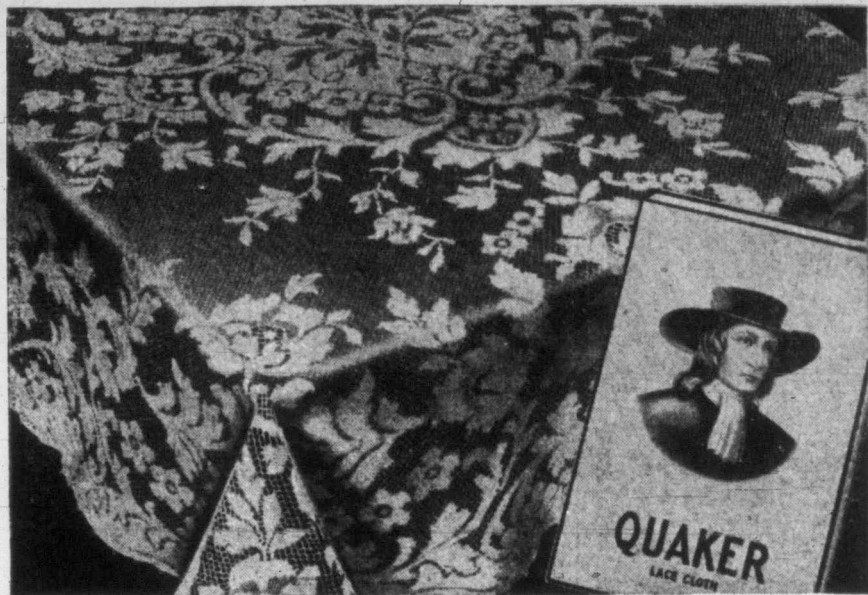
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Fresh, prettily styled cotton dresses accented with a white daisy trim at neckline and skirt. To shop in, to relax in, to look pretty all the time... wear this cool sleeveless dress fashion styled with round neckline, full belted skirt. In plain navy, brown, tangerine, wine and royal red. Sizes 12 to 18. Each

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Advertised prices apply to personal shopping only.
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Burns' Quality Canned Meats



SPORK 12-oz. square tin... **55c**

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Chuck Wagon Dinner 15-oz. tin... **37c** **Meat Balls** 15-oz. tin... **49c**
Spaghetti and Cheese 2 for **29c** **Veal Stew** 15-oz. tin... **29c**



WIENERS AND BEANS

15-oz. tin... **29c**

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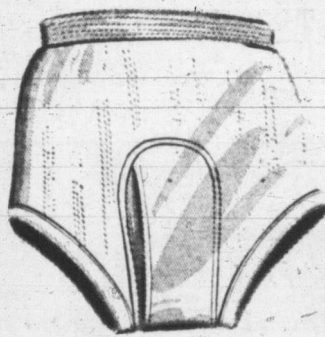
Fruit for Warm Days

Watermelon Florida, small, ripe... **18c**
Lemons California, fancy, dozen... **27c**
Oranges Large California, dozen... **48c**
Bananas South American, golden ripe... 2 lbs. **39c**

For Delicious Salads

Lettuce New York type, each... **15c**
Tomatoes Ripe Mexican, 14-oz. tubes, each... **23c**
Avocado Pears Each... **18c**
Watercress Mountain Stream... 2 bunches **25c**
Cucumbers Long English seedless, each... **35c**

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Men's Cotton Socks

Strong flat-rib knit socks with elastic tops. Choose from an assortment of bold stripe patterns in grey, brown, blue or wine. Sizes 10 to 12. Pair

44c

Women's Nylon Hosiery

Factory rejects of circular knit nylons... styled with mock seams. In a collection of beige shades. Sizes 9 to 10½. Pair

49c

Men's Wool Socks

Men's botany wool substandard socks... flat-rib knit ankle style with elastic tops. In plain shades of green, rust, wine, blue and grey. Sizes 10½ to 12. Pair

89c



Boys' Underwear Cotton Blankets

Substandards of cotton underwear... athletic style vests and jockey style briefs in a good quality white cotton... briefs have elastic waist. Sizes 8 to 14 years. Each garment

39c

Cotton Hosiery

Substandards of women's cotton hosiery. With stretchy tops... choose from beige shades or black. Sizes 9 to 10½. Pair

49c

Men's Sport Shirts

Of spun rayon and cotton... with long sleeves, two flap pockets. In plain tan, brown, wine or blue. Sizes small, medium and large. Each

2.49

Tan heather shade in blankets with brightly coloured borders. Suitable for cars, beach use or as extra bedthrows. Hemmed ends... approximate size 60x80 inches. Each

3.89

Feather Pillows

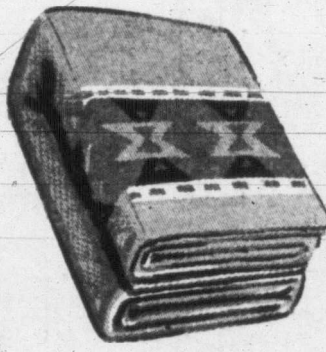
Useful pillows with purified chicken feather filling... finished with strong feather-resistant floral cotton ticking. Each

1.89

Men's Underwear

Strong cotton briefs and vests... classed as substandards. Vests are athletic style... briefs are jockey style with elastic waist. Sizes small, medium and large. Each garment

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Children's Panties

Strong rayon pique or striped rayon briefs in white, peach or blue. With contrasting coloured stitching. Elastic waist, band cuff... sizes 2, 4 and 6 years. Pair

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Children's Overalls

Strong cotton chambray or covert overalls in bib style... with one pocket, self straps. Blue, tan or wine with contrasting trim. Sizes 2, 4 and 6 years. Pair

98c

Women's Panties

Rayon panties in assorted brief or pantie style... plain or lace trimmed. With elastic waist, band cuff legs. Plain blue, maize, white or rose. Sizes small, medium and large. Pair

49c

Draperies Remnants

Floral cotton cretonne or heavy floral cotton pebble cloth ends. In assorted colours... one to five-yard lengths. Suitable for curtains, cushion covers or shopping bags. Yard

69c

Clearance of Women's Shoes

Save on women's arch support shoes... practical, comfortable fitting. Everyday shoes in black leather only. Cuban heels... long-wearing leather soles. In a choice of attractive styles in sizes 4 to 9, widths C to EE. Special, pair

3.95

Women's Casuals. Popular ballerina style casuals... low, easy fitting for playtime or office wear. Slip-on style, with closed toe and bow-trimmed vamp. Black suede-like fabric uppers, composition soles. Sizes 3 to 8. Pair

3.49



EATON'S—BARGAIN BASEMENT



the GREENEST PEAS
you've ever seen!

BIRDS EYE

GREEN PEAS

4 SERVINGS pkt. **28c**

ASPARAGUS

No. 1 fresh, lb. **25c**

DATES

Fresh Californian, lb. **29c**

COCONUTS

Dominican grown, each. **25c**

Late Crop SEED POTATOES

Great Scott, Green Mountain, Netted Gem or White Rose. 10-lb. bag

45c



RED SPRING SALMON

Fresh, sliced, lb. **63c**

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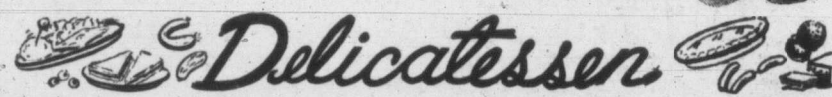
Sliced, lb. **30c**

EASTERN KIPPERS

lb. **35c**

SMOKIES

Imported from Scotland, lb. **42c**



Delicatessen

Roast Leg Of Pork

Sliced, ½ lb. **87c**

Baked Ham

Virginia style, sliced, ½ lb. **77c**

Potato Salad

lb. **25c**

English Brawn

Sliced, ½ lb. **25c**

Chicken Loaf

Sliced, ½ lb. **29c**

Veal Loaf

Sliced, ½ lb. **29c**

Smoked Picnics

Whole or shank half, lb. **49c**

Side Bacon

Chef's Pride, ½ lb. **35c**

Cross Rib Roast

Red and Blue Brand Steer Beef, lb. **79c**

Blade Roast

lb. **67c**

Delicious Grain-Fed Pork

Boston Butts

Meaty, lb. **64c**

Pork Chops

End cuts, lb. **59c**

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Baby Day at EATON'S

We're catering to the cradle crowd on Thursday . . . devoting the day to making their lives as comfortable and happy as possible . . . every day! Our Fashion-Floor Infants' Wear Department provides trained attendants who make it a joy to shop for the very young, and our collection of baby necessities is moderately priced. Choose your needs from the items below:

Alabama Sheets . . . by Kingcot. Made of soft white flannelette, with double whipped edges. Choose pink or blue borders.

Size about 30x45, pair **1.49** Size about 36x54, pair **1.98**

Wrapping Blankets . . . by Kingcot. Nursery designs on backgrounds of pink or blue. With whipped edges. Size about 30x36, each **98c**

Flannelette Diapers . . . by Kingcot. Soft, white, absorbent flannelette. Size about 27x27, dozen **3.98**

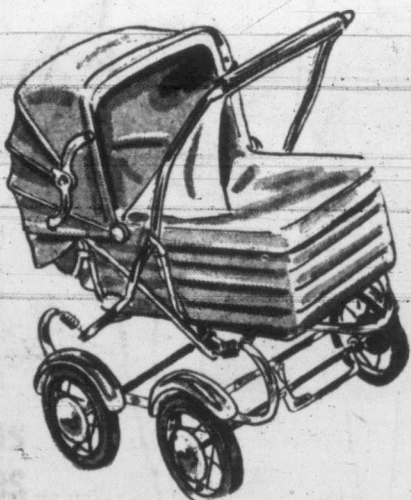
Vanta Vests . . . Wrap-around vests for infants. With short sleeves . . . in sturdy cotton. Sizes for 6, 12 and 18 months.

Cotton vests, each **98c** Cotton and wool, each **1.50**

Flannelette Gowns . . . Infants' gowns styled with round neckline, buttoned back and embroidery trim in pink or blue. Sizes up to six months. Each **98c**

Reversible Quilts . . . for carriage or bassinet use, soft quilts made of reversible rayon satin. Pink on one side, blue on the other . . . size about 27x36 inches. Each **3.50**

Reversible Pillows . . . made to match the above quilt in carriage or bassinet. Pink and blue rayon satin. Each **98c**

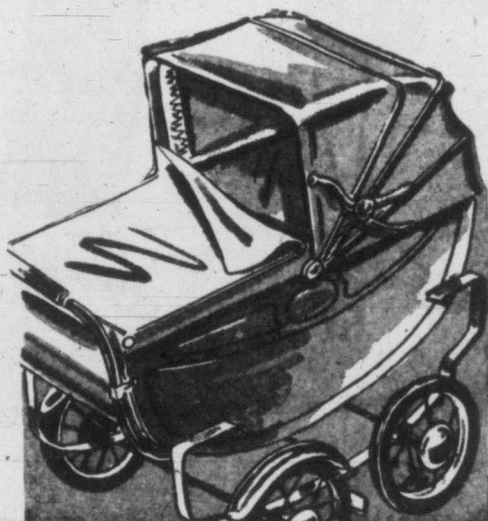


Standard Baby Pram . . . Body dimensions about 45x42x22 ins. Nicely lined hood with chromium-plated spreaders, body is well padded and has embossed design on side. Large 11½-inch rubber tired wheels. In blue or maroon. **51.95**

Baby Swings—Strong canvas on a metal frame. Has a high back and comes complete with spring. Each **1.69**

Baby Auto Seats. Fastens to back of car seat to provide safe, comfortable travelling for baby. Made of Cairo cord on a metal frame . . . folds for easy storing. Each **2.50**

EATON'S—BABY GOODS, FASHION FLOOR



Eatonia Go-Cart . . . Can be converted quickly into a handy stroller. Rugged all-steel frame with chromium-plated tubular steel undercarriage. Leatherette upholstery is thickly padded. Lined storm apron and curtain, five-bow hood, 10-inch wheels, rubber tired. Bed length about 36 inches. In grey, blue or maroon. **48.95**
EATONIA Value, each

EATON'S—BABY WEAR, FASHION FLOOR

Advance Sale of Summer Dresses

Washable Rayon Shantungs

150 Dresses, All Cucumber-Cool!
All Priced at This Budget-Figure

Ripe for picking . . . right for the summer we're having . . . sunshiny, fresh, pretty rayon shantungs, offered to you now at an advance special price. Look cool and comfortable all season in prints or plains . . . navy, aqua, blue, tangerine in solid colours . . . pastel grounds in prints. Sizes 12 to 20, 38 to 42, 16½ to 24½ in the group.

Special, each **6.88**

EATON'S—DRESSES, FASHION FLOOR



Cape Jackets of Muskrat Flank

• New Feature in Fur Fashion!

Our two-way fur topper . . . wear it as a cape over moonlight fashions, then fasten the sleeves, and behold, a jacket to top all your daytime fashions! We've manipulated fine muskrat flank pelts into this trend-setting cape-jacket and dyed it in soft, luxurious mink blends. Come, admire its ingenious styling, that's 1951 right down to the softly rounded shoulders and rippling backs! In sizes 12 to 20.

198.00

EATON'S—FURS, FASHION FLOOR



Red . . . Latest Colour Rage

You'll be seeing red this season . . . in every type of shoe from dress to casual! A rich glowing red that's like ripe strawberries, that charges your whole wardrobe with an excitement all its own . . . for red has a fashion affinity with almost any costume tone. Here are our spirited interpretations of the latest colour rage in shoes . . .

Red calf sling heel pump with striplings right down to the platform soles. **16.95**

Red calf sandal, platform soles. Striplings. **9.95**

Draped red calf sling heel pump with be-bowed vamp. **11.95**

EATON'S—WOMEN'S SHOES, FASHION FLOOR



The EATON GUARANTEE "Goods Satisfactory or Money Refunded"

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It's EATON'S for Nylon

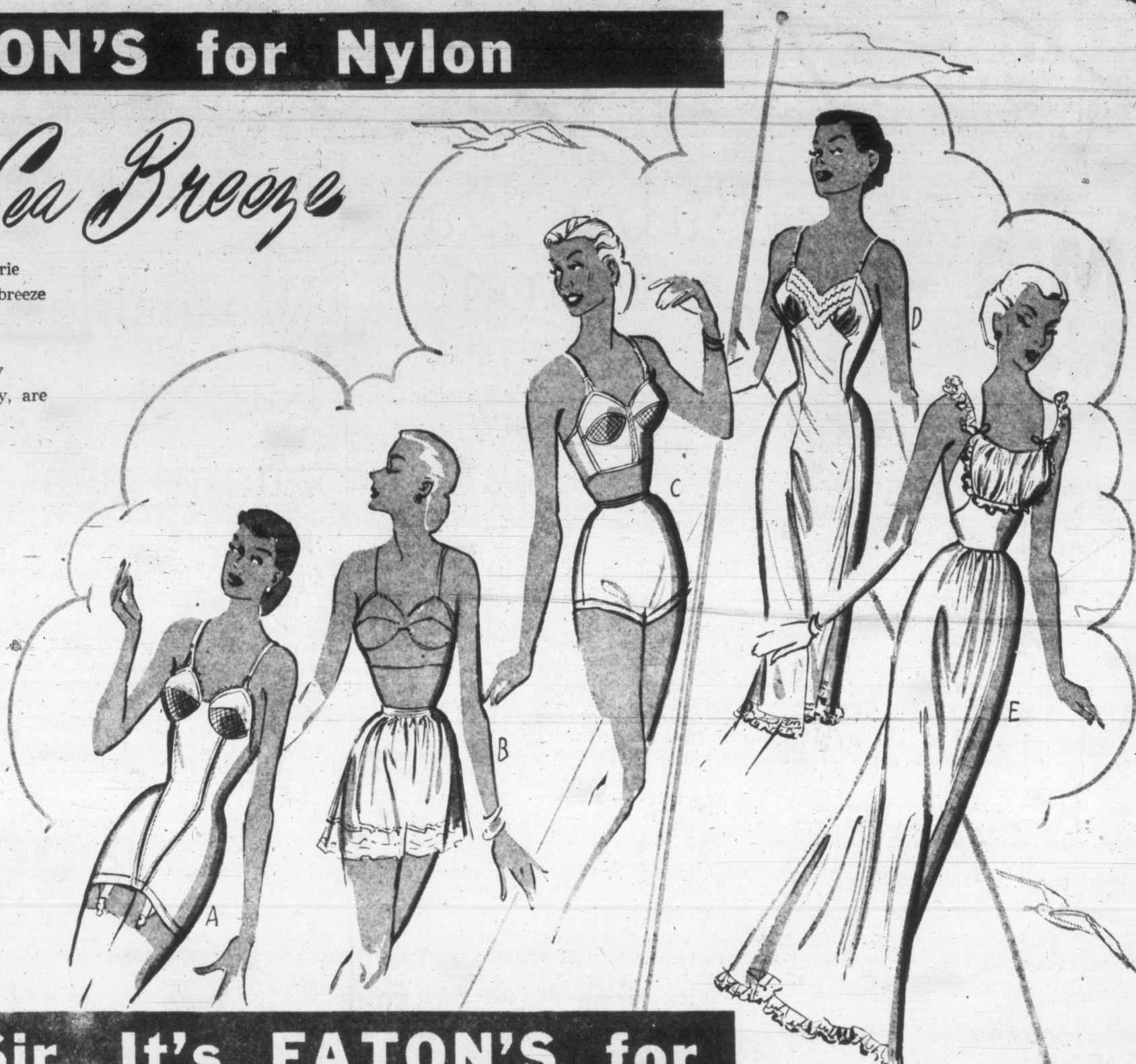
Fresh as a Sea Breeze

EATON'S has gathered drifts of cloud-like nylon lingerie... light, airy garments that feel as cool as a balmy breeze blowing in from sea. Slips, gowns, panties and foundations that are well-made, long-wearing and practically priced. Pretty, feminine styles in dainty colours — only a few of these airy films of beauty, are shown here from our wide assortments by well-known makers.

It's EATON'S For Assortment

- A. Skippy Foundation with nylon top, nylon "Lastex" sides and satin "Lastex" front and back. White, average fitting, sizes 33 to 38. **16.50**
- B. Harvey Woods Panties with nylon lace trim. Small, medium, large. Pair **3.95**
Life Bra in nylon taffeta, in bandeau style. White only in sizes 32 to 36. **3.95**
- C. Kayser Briefs, nylon tricot in tailored style. Small, medium, large. Pair **2.25**
Life Bra in longer line style. Average and full fitting. Sizes 34 to 42. **5.50**
- D. Luxite Slip, nylon tricot with nylon lace top and bottom. Pink and blue. Sizes 32 to 38. **8.95**
- E. Luxite Gowns, nylon tricot with nylon lace at bottom and on yoke. Blue, coral and white. Sizes 34 to 38. **14.95**

EATON'S—LINGERIE, FASHION FLOOR



Aye, Aye, Sir. It's EATON'S for

Sailing Blues

Fun ahoy! Fitting mates for a sun-seeking summer! A whole fleet of saucy, nautical playmates... just in at EATON'S... in "Sanforized" blue denim that washes as slick as a scrubbed-down deck! For sports on land or sea, for comfort in the country... choose your "Sailing Blues" piece by piece... then pair them and switch them to your heart's delight.

It's EATON'S For Assortment

- A. Sun Dress, sizes 10 to 20. **8.95**
- B. Pedal Pushers, sizes 10 to 20. **3.95**
Jacket, sizes 10 to 16. **5.95**
- C. Slacks, sizes 12 to 18. **5.95**
Boleros, sizes 12 to 18. **3.95**
- D. Skirt, sizes small, medium, large **5.95**
Strapless Bra, small, medium and large **2.50**
- E. Shorts, sizes 10 to 18. **2.95**
Bra, sizes small, medium, large. **2.50**

EATON'S—SPORTSWEAR, FASHION FLOOR



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M'Arthur Says No To Politics

Thunderous Welcome By Half Million

SAN FRANCISCO (UP) — General Douglas MacArthur, cheered by half-a-million persons in a thunderous welcome home, said today: "I have no political aspirations whatsoever."

"I do not intend to run for any political office and I hope that my name will never be used in any political way," he said.

"I have just been asked if I intend to enter politics. My answer is no."

The 71-year-old general's surprising denial of political ambitions came at the climax of a thundering welcome home for the hero of Bataan who has been away 14 years. Five persons fainted in the crush around the reception stand as the crowd surged through police lines and flowed around the stand.

"GOD BLESS AMERICA"

"The only politics I have is contained in a simple phrase known well by all of us: 'God Bless America,' the general said in slow, dignified tones, standing erect and unsmiling.

"I cannot tell you what it means to be home," he said. "I cannot tell you how I have longed for it. I dreamed of it through the dreary years I have been abroad."

The general left immediately for the airport to continue his dramatic Tokyo-to-Washington flight. The speech which he will deliver to a joint meeting of Congress tomorrow was near completion.

After Gen. MacArthur finished speaking, Mayor Robinson introduced Mrs. MacArthur. But before she could start to talk, the general reached over and "stole" the mike.

"She is not only my beloved wife," he told the cheering crowd, "she is my best soldier."

Arthur, the couple's 13-year-old son, who is seeing the United States for the first time, said after his introduction, "Thanks. I'm so glad to be home."

The general in his remarks paid tribute to "the magnificent men I have left fighting the battle in Korea."

LONG DROUGHT ENDS AS SHOWERS START IN CITY

Victoria's 21-day drought ended at 1:30 today with a light shower. To half-holiday store clerks the rain was a disappointment, but to garden-conscious citizens it was welcome.

The weather forecaster predicted skies would be clear again by midnight.

While official records put the dry spell at 21 days, the last previous rain is shown as a paltry .01 inch on March 28. The last appreciable rainfall was on March 15, when measuring instruments recorded a .37-inch fall.

The change in the weather was common to other parts of the province. Vancouver had its first rain in 20 days.

Transfusion Given Dying Baby Under Court Order

CHICAGO (UP) — A blood transfusion was given under a court order today to a dying baby whose parents had refused to permit the life-saving measure on religious grounds.

Specialists began the transfusion after Judge Robert Jerome Dunne, in an unusual legal move, appointed a temporary guardian to save the child's life.

The infant, Cheryl Labrenz, born six days ago, was suffering from a blood condition resulting from an RH-negative factor in its mother's blood.

Dunne appointed Col. Harry Hill, chief probation officer of Family Court, as temporary guardian over the objections of the baby's father, Darrell Labrenz, 25, a member of the Jehovah's Witnesses sect.

Hill and Dr. Herman N. Bunsen, president of the board of health, then hastened to Bethany Hospital with a police escort.

From there they took the infant in a special incubator ambulance, only one of its kind in the country, to Michael Reese Hospital, which was considered better equipped to handle the case.

Dunne ruled that the state's right to preserve the tiny girl's life transcends the personal wishes of the family.

The father, who works at an electronics plant, testified that he based his refusal to permit the transfusion on "God's law."

"The life in the blood belongs to Jehovah," the distraught young father said. "It is his to give and to take."

O.C. Soccer

LONDON (Reuters) — Results of soccer matches played in the United Kingdom today:

ENGLISH LEAGUE	
Division One	
Huddersfield Town 2, Chelsea 1.	Newcastle U. 0, Bolton Wanderers 1.
Sheffield Wednesday 4, Derby County 2.	
Division Two	
Barnsley 1, Sheffield U. 1.	
Division Three (Northern)	
Bradford 2, Gateshead 0.	Scunthorpe U. 0, Bradford City 0.
Wrexham 0, New Brighton 1.	
Division Three (Southern)	
Brighton and Hove 0, Newport County 1.	Barnet 0, Watford 1.
Crystal Palace 0, Norwich City 0.	Reading 0, Walsley 1.
Nottingham Forest 1, Swindon Town 1.	Plymouth Argyle 2, Gillingham 0.
Reading 0, B. and S. Athletic 0.	
SCOTTISH LEAGUE	
Division A	
Hearts 4, Aberdeen 1.	
Division B	
Albion Rovers 1, Queen of the South 4.	

ROCKY GIVES REASON WHY

FORT LEWIS, Wash. (CP) — An American newspaper woman told Brig. John Rockingham, commander of Canada's special force, at a press conference today residents of nearby Tacoma thought Canadian soldiers a little "obstreperous."

"Certainly they're obstreperous," the brigadier replied, smiling, "that's what they're trained for."

41c A Deck? So What!

VANCOUVER (CP) — Price of cigarettes won't worry thieves who broke into Langara Golf Club early today.

They stole more than 10,000 cigarettes.



'Just Hit 'Em 'Way Out Thar'

That a way for home runs, laughs Victoria Athletics' business manager Reg Patterson, pointing high and long to north wall of Athletic Park. Interested onlookers, doubtless anxious to please, are outfielder Gene Thompson, left, and shortstop Bill Dunn. Players, again in Victoria livery, were in city today getting families placed in homes. They left this afternoon for W.I.L. opener in Spokane Friday.

U.S. Draft Cut As More Men Volunteering

WASHINGTON (UP) — The Defense Department announced today that the armed forces will start releasing inactive enlisted reservists this summer.

At the same time the army announced it will take only 40,000 draftees in May, a reduction of 20,000. It said the reduction in the May call was made possible by a continuing rise in enlistments and a drop in Korean casualties.

The department said the decision to release the reservists is part of a new program to build up reserve forces at home which could be mobilized quickly in event of general war.

Mrs. E. Pellant Re-Elected I.O.D.E. Head

Mrs. E. H. Pellant, Vancouver, was re-elected by acclamation as president of Provincial Chapter, I.O.D.E., in annual session today at the Empress Hotel.

Other officers elected were Mrs. F. E. Dowdall, Vancouver, first vice-president; Mrs. W. C. Nichol, Victoria, second; Mrs. H. S. Coulter, Vancouver, third; Mrs. E. R. L. Gates, fourth; Mrs. E. J. Bell, Ladner, fifth; Mrs. C. H. Jaffares, Trail, sixth, and Mrs. A. Berner, Vancouver, seventh.

Mrs. E. O. Du Vernet, Vancouver, was elected secretary; Mrs. C. Barrett-Lennard, Vancouver, treasurer; Mrs. Denys Godfrey, Vancouver, organizing secretary; Mrs. R. S. Gourlay, Vancouver, educational secretary, and Mrs. R. C. McCorkell, Vancouver, standard-bearer.

City Men Pass Survey Exams

Nine students have passed final examinations of the Corporation of British Columbia Land Surveyors at the University of British Columbia department of civil engineering.

They include: D. W. Carrier, C. R. W. Leak, J. B. Salmon and C. O. Smythies, all of Victoria.

Preliminary examinations have been passed by B. S. Bering and V. C. Goudall of Victoria.



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FINAL BULLETINS

Father Charged In Nelson Murder

NELSON (CP) — John Davidoff, 47-year-old Doukhobor, today was charged with the murder of his 20-year-old son. The son, Joe Davidoff, was found dead in his bed Tuesday. He had been shot to death Monday night.

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Deputies Again Say 'No Progress'

PARIS (Reuters) — The Big Four foreign ministers' deputies again failed to make headway today towards agreeing on an agenda for a foreign ministers' meeting.

A Western spokesman said the deputies, meeting for the 32nd time, made "no progress."

Mawhinney Eliminated At 26th

PINEHURST, N.C. (CP) — William Mawhinney of Vancouver was eliminated from the upper-bracket play in the North and South Amateur Golf Tournament after his second-round match with Ray Palmer of Wyandotte, Mich., went to 26 holes.

Urges Early Japanese Treaty

WASHINGTON (UP) — President Truman announced today that he has ordered U.S. representatives to push for completion of a Japanese peace settlement on "early and satisfactory" terms.

Another French Confidence Vote

PARIS (AP) — French Premier Henri Queuille today asked for another vote of confidence in his coalition cabinet in an effort to speed new elections. The vote will be next Tuesday.

Queuille won an issue of confidence yesterday, 311 to 240.

Lethbridge Maple Leafs Back From Overseas Tour

MONTREAL (CP) — Lethbridge Maple Leafs, winners of the world amateur hockey championship in Paris, arrived in Montreal today and to a man said "It's good to be home."

The team, which toured Britain and the continent and scored 45 wins in 55 games, returned on the liner Empress of France, making its first trip of the season into Montreal.

The players leave by plane tonight for Lethbridge where a gala public welcome and civic reception awaits them.

They still talked of their hockey experiences overseas and the teams they had met, but many of the players said they feel it's about time they gave up playing in organized hockey. Most of them are married and have jobs in Lethbridge.

Playing Coach Dick Gray stood on the after-deck of the ship and summed up the continental brand of hockey as "good intermediate."

The teams in England, with many Canadian players, he rated senior classification.

Gray spoke highly, however, of the Swiss and Swedish teams.

"They have some good teams over there," he said. "But the greatest difficulty is in the coaching. The Swiss outfits are coached mostly by Canadian boys but these fellows don't seem to understand the hockey they play in Europe, and, of course, there's the language difficulty."

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Affray May Be Canted Blocking Escape Hatch

PORTSMOUTH (Reuters) — Planes and ships still scoured the English Channel late today as hope lessened for the British submarine Affray, with 75 aboard, missing since she dived Monday night.

The submarine still has not definitely been located though contact has been made and the British Navy admitted the long submersion reduced the prospect of rescue.

Bomber Crashed In U.S.

EL PASO, Tex. (UP) — A four-engine B-50 bomber from Biggs Air Force Base crashed and burned shortly after take-off from Fort Bliss here today. One man of the 15-man crew was missing and the others injured, none seriously.

Witnesses said the plane, which had just taken off, was flying at a low altitude in a southeasterly direction when it apparently developed engine trouble and crashed.

Officials at Biggs Base would not reveal the name of the missing crewman.

Challenge To Budget Lost

LONDON (Reuters) — The government defeated an opposition challenge to its budget proposals by 11 votes in the House of Commons today.

Its proposal to increase the tax on gasoline by 4½ pence (5 cents) a gallon to three shillings and six pence (52 cents) was carried by 300 votes to 289.

The government also defeated the opposition—304 to 289—on a vote on the proposed increase in entertainments tax on movie shows and certain sports events, including horse racing.

Amendments To Aid Fruit Farmers Hit By Frost

OTTAWA (CP) — Amendments to the Farm Loans Improvement Act are under consideration, it was disclosed today by James Sinclair, parliamentary assistant to Finance Minister Abbott.

Mr. Sinclair told the Commons that the finance and agriculture departments are considering amendments to permit British Columbia fruit growers to borrow money to uproot and replace trees damaged by frost.

The act now allows chartered banks to loan farmers money for new trees or for the breaking of new ground. Mr. Sinclair said Mr. Abbott felt it would be reasonable to extend the act to permit loans to fruit growers who wish to replace frost-damaged trees.

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Jobbers Claim Tobacco Price Hike Unwarranted

VANCOUVER (CP) — Tobacco jobbers claimed today that manufacturers had boosted prices more than new taxes warranted and were pocketing an extra 30 cents per thousand cigarettes.

"At the same time they have cut the profit margin of both jobber and retailer while telling the public their price increase would be shared by all of us," said a spokesman for British Columbia Tobacco and Candy Jobbers Association.

The new high-priced cigarettes were moving into Vancouver stores today, and by the end of the week all old stock will be sold out.

High Living Costs 'Benefit To City'

Increases in the cost of living are resulting in greater returns of property to the city through non-payment of taxes, Mayor Percy George said Tuesday at a meeting of the Victoria Police Commission.

His comment was prompted by a remark made by Const. J. W. Barlow, police wage committee spokesman, who said he "hoped to see the time when living costs will level off and negotiations like this will not be as necessary."

"Rising costs are the bane of our existence," the mayor said. "Many of our citizens have fixed incomes, and it is resulting in considerable returns of property to the city."

Snyder Caps Choice

PENTICTON (CP) — Bob Snyder, veteran right-hander will pitch for Vancouver Capilanos in their Western International Baseball League opener against Wenatchee Friday.

Wenatchee manager Tommy Thompson has not yet named his starting pitcher, but it is likely to be southpaw Al Brelsinger.

But the navy added there is "increasing evidence" the search is being concentrated in the right place.

A brief flurry of excitement was caused this afternoon when a R.A.F. plane sighted a white and yellow object on the sea down the Channel from Portsmouth but it turned out to be a false alarm.

Ships sent immediately to the spot in hopes it might be a marker buoy from the missing Affray reported back it was not a buoy and had no connection with the submarine.

Rain squalls hampered the hunt, now in its second day.

Hopes raised by early-morning tappings from the bed of the sea were already fading as time passed without sign of the sub's marking buoy or surfacing survivors.

The belief grew the 1,600-ton submarine—stuck on the bottom 200 feet down about 30 miles off the Isle of Wight—was canted on her side, preventing release of the buoy or escape of her men from the hatches.

Capt. William O. Shelford, British naval expert from the submarine depot ship Forth at Malta, was being rushed by air to Britain today to help.

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